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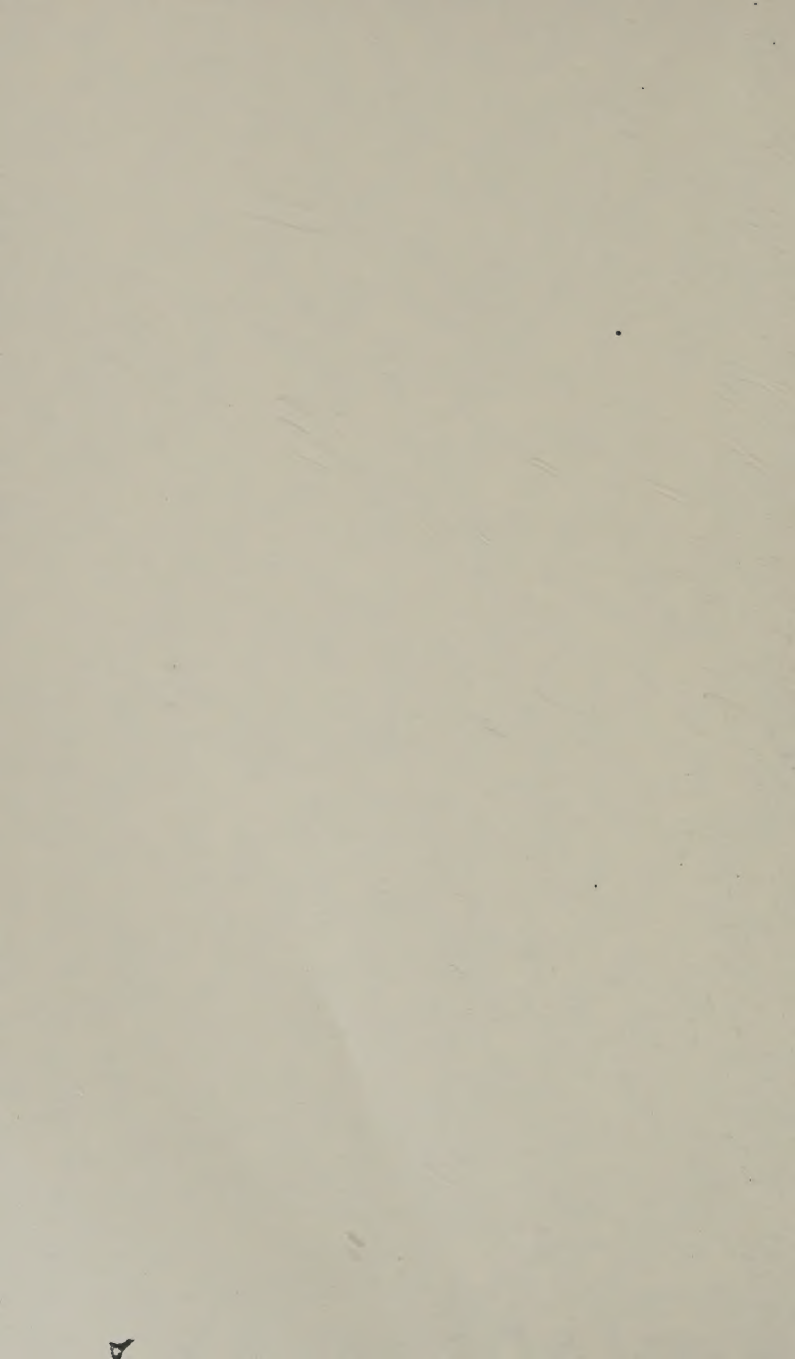
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PREFACE.



In presenting this volume (Bhartrihari's Vairágya Shatak together with its predecessor the Niti-shataka) to the student-world we have only a few words to say. The importance of Bhartrihari's epigrammatic stanzas both from a didactic and moral point has been so well recognised by Indian and European scholars that it would be superfluous to say anything about it here. The high pressure under which the Indian student has to study a variety of subjects within a limited period leaves him very little time—and many even do not really possess the facilities—to look at the various books from which references are generally given in annotated editions. Our efforts have, therefore, been to make our annotations as complete in themselves as possible even at the risk of being charged with having left very little for the student to do. It certainly is laudable in a student to explore things for himself. They are more serviceable to him. But how many do it, how many have done it, and how many will do it, is the question. Many there are who go with misty ideas and half-gathered notions from lecture notes, hastily taken down and passed from hand to hand. It is to obviate this state of things that the notes in the present edition have been given. It is hoped they will enable the student to obtain a clear and critical elucidation of the knotty points in Bhartrihari's stanzas.

Likewise a word about our translation. We have heard it often remarked that students cram translations. We have no hesitation to say, even that is not so deplorable as the unidiomatic and ludicrous renderings so often seen. Of course, it goes without saying, those who choose to cram and retain what they have done so, in an undigested form, can never

escape its consequences, under the stern law of nature. Those, however, who cram it intelligently and digest it, will be none the worse for it.

In the preparation of this edition Mr. Telang's text which is, by far the most exhaustive as all his works are, has been followed, although in some places we had to make slight alterations as has been pointed out in our notes. We had the advantage of three new manuscripts, (one with a commentary) from the Berars lent to us by Pandit Váman Shástri, in the preparation of our edition.

We have also to acknowledge the help we derived from Mr. Kále's edition with regard to the Vairágya-shataka in mooting a number of questions which will have their value to the student.

Our thanks are due to Shástri Venkatáchárya of the Baroda College for the valuable help he rendered us in the fixing of the figures of speech in the stanzas and in the discussion of some of the grammatical points. Our thanks are also due to Krishna Shástri of Shankaráchárya's Shringeri-Matha for the help we fortunately had from him in the annotation of some part of Niti-shatak.

But for the lively interest taken by the proprietors and the Manager of the Lakshmi Vilás Press of Baroda, this work would not have seen the light of day in its present form.

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INTRODUCTION.

Much has been afloat in the shape of tradition and folklore in regard to the author of the poems called the *Śrīṅgār Shataka*, the *Nīti Shataka* and the *Vairāgya Shataka*. Speculative conjectures and the efforts of antiquarians to explore even some fragmentary yet definite information about the mental and social status of the author, or the endeavours of modern *savants* to discover and ferret out even scraps of materials in the haziness of antiquity, to enable them to build up information about our author with some amount of certainty, have till now resulted into a greater or less disappointment. What is put down as a conclusive certainty by one explorer, is condemned by another as untenable; whatever is viewed as a landmark by one, is washed off by another as worthless—in fact nothing has yet been known which can be classed as satisfactory and trustworthy about the author of these *Shatakas*. In olden days the system of putting down and recording facts does not appear to have been so much in vogue as it is now. Hence it is a matter of no surprise that the personal histories of almost all authors of Sanskrit works have been more or less conjectural themes and an independent field of literary discussion for antiquarians. This has been the case even with such a voluminous author and commentator like *Sāyanacharya* who had everything in his favour. He foresaw that his commentaries on the *Vedas* would not survive the ruthless attacks of Father Time and they would all be lost to future generations, unless he adopted some special plan* to ensure the preservation of his laborious works.

* It is said *Sāyanāchārya* got a number of copies to be made of his commentaries and buried them in different places.

2. The three Shatakas belong, without doubt, to that class of works which have survived the unavoidable effects of the working of Time and have held a high position in didactic literature for the last two thousand years.* It behoves us, therefore, to make an effort to deduce from all available materials as much connected information about the authorship of these epigrammatic poems as we can.

(II) WHO WAS THE AUTHOR OF THE SHATAKAS ?

3. There are various opinions about the authorship of the Shatakas, the universally current one being that they were composed by Bhartrihari. Colebrooke says, " A beautiful poem has been composed in his name containing moral reflections which the poet supposes him to make on the discovery of his wife's infidelity. It consists of either three or four Shatakas or centuries of couplets. "†

This observation indicates that the Shatakas were composed by some poet and put forth under the name of Bhartrihari. Colebrooke has not, however, given any proofs in support of his view, nor does it appear to have been accepted by antiquarians. Perhaps Colebrooke thought that kingly affluence and learning were not possible of co-existence in one and the same individual, and that it was easier for the former to gain the labours of the learned. The co-existence of learning and riches is no doubt a rare occurrence, but instances of this are found in all countries and there seems no reason to deny the credit of the same to Bhartrihari. Instances of authorship or at least learning side by side with wealth, are met with in Kádambari and Dashakumarcharita. The instances of Bhoja, Shúdraka, and Rajashekhar only strengthen our idea of the possibility of wealth and learning going hand-in-hand, and we have no hesitation to place Bhartrihari among them. ‡

* See § 47.

† See Colebrooke's Essays Vol. II p. 6 note.

‡ See § 11.

4. It will be shown further on that Bhartrihari possessed instinctive poetical faculty to a pre-eminent degree, and that there is very little ground to doubt his learning and erudition. The subject matter of the Shatakas is such, that at least two of them* the Niti and the Vairagya, must have been composed after the abandonment of all kingly power and regal splendour. It seems more than possible to get a worldly poet to compose poems and allow them to be ascribed to an individual, who had relinquished all splendour and power and from whom, therefore, there was very little chance of any gain.

5. With regard to the current idea and Colebrooke's remark 'on discovery of his wife's infidelity' we have our own doubts. The assumption of this as a fact lends support to our idea and only weakens Colebrooke's view of the poems having been composed by some poet and ascribed to Bhartrihari. An utter stranger and one working from a worldly view, cannot in the nature of things come forward to touch upon such a delicate subject as that mentioned in the second stanza of the Niti Shataka, and on which almost all theories about Bhartrihari seem to have been built up. There is very meagre collateral or circumstantial evidence for this incident and it is too much to deduce any definite conclusion from a stray allusion to an incident in the most general terms possible.

6. The third part of Colebrooke's observation *viz.*, Bhartrihari composed 'three or four Shatakas or centuries of couplets' will be examined further on (See § 26).

* From Kavicharita and other works it can be seen that Bhartrihari composed the three Shatakas after he had renounced his kingdom. See the extract from Mr. Athalye's *Ms.* § 14. Whatever may have to be said against this view can, with perhaps some propriety, be said with regard to the Shringar Shataka, but it seems more compatible with reason that the Niti and Vairagya were composed by our author when he was in a condition most fitted for them, *i. e.*, after the renouncement of the kingdom.

7. Bohlen and a few others seem to be of opinion that these Shatakas were not *composed* by Bhartrihari but were only selections made by him from the works of other authors. Only two arguments seem to us to lend some support to this view—
 (1) There is not a regular continuity of thought in the Shatakas.
 (2) Some of the verses in these Shatakas are to be found in other works such as Shákuntala, Mrichbakatika, Mudrá Rákshas, Dasha Rupaka, Panchatantra, Shárangdhara Paddhati &c.

8. We do not see any great force in the first argument. Readers of Wordsworth, Milton and Shakspeare have not till now found a continuity of thought in the sonnets of these great western poets. Each sonnet is a complete piece by itself and composed in reference to incidents or on occasions as they came into the minds of these poets. Similarly the Bhámini Vilás of Pandit Jagannátha is a compilation of poems which have no continuity. Why should it not then be supposed, that Bhartrihari noted down thoughts as they occurred to him.

9. Equally untenable appears the view that these Shatakas are 'common-place' books. The verses appearing in other works, as far as they have been discovered to this day, are so few. The works in which they are found are, with the exception of Shákuntala, from the pens of authors who cannot be said to be superior to Bhartrihari. Moreover, many of them flourished long after Bhartrihari. The authorship of the Stanza (Niti : 70) is a point difficult to decide. Whether it is Bhartrihari's or Kálidasa's must remain an open question just like the other idea of the stanza being neither Bhartrihari's nor Kalidasa's but an older one.*

* Dr. Bhandarkar suggests that " the Stanza in question is one of those Subhashitas which are floating about in popular talk. According to him this Stanza might be, both in the Nitishataka and in the Shakuntala, a mere reproduction of a part of what may be called the literature living in the mouths of respectably educated people ". This theory the learned Doctor does not suggest to be universally applicable.—*Telang*.

Another stanza अनाघातं पुंषं &c., found in Shákuntala is met with in only one *Ms*: of Bhartrihari's Shatakas. In this connection there is one fact, which must be prominently mentioned. As the very name implies, each of the Shatakas must have originally consisted of no more than 100 Stanzas. But the majority of *Mss*: now forthcoming contain Stanzas which make up something like 400 Stanzas for the three Shatakas.* Who (and at what time) introduced all the interpolations, is impossible to determine, at this distant date. On the whole, therefore, we feel there is no sufficient ground to adopt any of the above surmises, but it is safer and sounder to accept Bhartrihari as the author of the Shatakas which occupy so important a place in Sanskrit literature.

10. (III) POPULAR TRADITIONS ABOUT BHARTRIHARI.

- (a) Bhartrihari was the elder brother of Vikramáditya, the well-known ruler of Ujjaini and the founder of the Samvat era.
- (b) His faith in worldly matters was shaken by the discovery of a domestic intrigue and he abdicated his royal position and retired into the forest as an ascetic.
- (c) He composed one lac of Kárikás or rules on Patanjali's Mahábháshya.
- (d) He was the author of Bhattikávyá.
- (e) He wrote a small poem called Ráhat Kavya.
- (f) He was the author of a Shataka called Vidnyana Shataka in addition to the three Shatakas.
- (g) He was the contemporary of Kalidas.
- (h) He was one of the nine jewels of the court of King Vikramáditya.

* Mr. Kále says he has a *Ms*: in his possession which consists of 100 Stanzas for each Shataka with ten subdivisions in each. More *Mss*. of this class would be desirable to enable the interpolations being eschewed.

- (i) He was a prominent Hattha Yogi and contemporary of Matsyendranath, Gorakshanath, &c., and a disciple of Charpatinath.

(IV) POSITION OF BHARTRIHARI.

11. The traditions alluded to above, go a great way towards gaining and establishing some information about Bhartrihari. A full examination of each of them and the conclusions derivable from it will find its proper place but the variety of the traditions by itself suffices to show that the author was highly respected and was very popular. Bhartihari was an exception to the general rule that learning and wealth are not co-existent. He was no ordinary landed proprietor or a minor chief, but had a sway over a large part of India. With such regal splendour he acquired a high position in literature. His asceticism was also of a very high order. Thus were conflicting conditions—regal splendour and learning, power and asceticism centered in one individual. In addition to this, he appears to have been endowed with personal beauty, coolness of temper, and justice and mercy—qualities which show him off and which are rarely met with. The couplet

विक्रमविरागविभवयुतिभिः स्तुतिपात्रमेव भर्तृहरिः ॥

एकोऽपि च यश्चतुरश्वतुरोऽपि हरीन् स्वयं समतिशेते ॥ १ ॥

i. e., The wise Bhatrihari who outstrips the four Haris (Vishnu, the son of Rishabha, Indra, and the sun) by his valour, asceticism, wealth and splendour respectively, deserves all praise. The various titles accorded by commentators to our poet only strengthen this view. Among others the following deserve notice:—

(i) श्रीमद्भर्तृहरिकृतं नीतिशतकं प्रारभ्यते.

(ii) इह खलु राजर्षिप्रवरः भर्तृहरिः शतकत्रयात्मकं ग्रन्थं चिकीर्षुः

(iii) अयं भर्तृहर (?) भूपतिकृतवैराग्यशतकप्रारंभः

- (iv) इति श्रीमहामुनीन्द्रभर्तृहरिकृतो..... ।
 (v) इति श्रीमहाकविचक्रचूडामणिना भर्तृहरिणा विरचितं... ।
 (vi) इति श्रीभर्तृहरियोगीन्द्रेण विरचिते..... ।
 (vii) इति श्रीमहाराजाधिराज-सामन्तसीमन्तचूडामणि-कवि-
 शेखर-योगीन्द्रमुकुटमणि-राजर्षि-श्रीभर्तृहरिविरचितं... ।
 (viii) इति श्रीभर्तृहरियोगीन्द्रविरचितायां सुभाषितरत्ना-
 वल्यां..... ।

In one, Bhartrihari is called a king, in another a great sage, in a third, he is styled the first among poets; while in a fourth he is called the Mahārājādhirāja, &c. From all these, it can be safely said, that our poet was not an ordinary individual and that he was respected for his learning and power.

(V) BHARTRIHARI THE ELDER BROTHER OF
 VIKRAMADITYA.

12. There seems to be hardly any diversity of opinion among antiquarians on this point.* Some enquirers say that Bhartrihari ruled† in Jambunagara for some time, but afterwards transferred his seat to Ujjaini on beholding the valour of his brother with his concurrence. While reigning there, he discovered the domestic intrigue and as is generally believed, the infidelity of his wife, created such a disgust in him that he handed over the kingdom to his brother, renounced the world and retired into the forest as an ascetic.

* Dr. Bháu Dāji has shown some doubt about Bhartrihari being the elder brother of Vikramāditya. He says if the poet were the brother of such a powerful king, how can the operations alluded to in Stanza 4 of Vairāgya Shataka be reconciled? We have given the meaning and intention of the Stanza in §18 which easily reconciles the point. Mr. Telang has also conclusively shown the unsoundness of Dr. Bháu's doubt. Moreover the spot pointed out as Bhartrihari's Gumphā at Ujjaini to this day, adds weight to the argument that there was some relationship between our poet and Vikramāditya.

† See § 49.

(VI) BHARTRIHARI'S RENOUNCEMENT OF THE WORLD.

13. The popular notion that Bhartrihari renounced the world is based only on the somewhat vague allusion to a domestic incident in the second stanza of the Nitishataka. Another stanza alluding to the same incident is found in one of the *Mss*: lent to us by Mr. Vaman Shastree Islampurkar. We have expressed our views about it in the notes and do not therefore repeat them here.

14. Mr. Y. V. Athalye had lent a *Ms*: to Mr. Telang wherein, we are told, the name of Bhartrihari's wife to whom the second stanza refers, is given as Anangasena. It is further stated तदा सप्रत्ययो राजा परं विषादमापन्न इदमुवाच । अहो स्त्रीणां चित्तचरित्रं च न केनापि ज्ञायते । धिगेनामेतत्परतन्त्रं मां चेति ॥ न वैराग्यात्परं भाग्यं न बोधादपरः सखा ॥ न हरेरपरस्त्राता न संसारात्परो रिपुः ॥ इत्यादि पठित्वा विक्रमार्क राज्येऽभिषिच्य स्वयमत्यन्तं विरक्तः सन्नेतच्छ्लोकत्रयं (शतकत्रयं?) च करोति॥ From the additional information about this tradition, the name of the योगीन्द्र and विप्र of the stanza given in our notes was Sumanta, an inhabitant of Ujjaini. Sumanta made a present of 'the fruit of immortality' to the King. Passing from hand to hand, as mentioned in the stanza, it came back to the original donor, Sumanta, to whom it was given out of respect by a courtesan. Sumant recognised the fruit, was annoyed at the return of it through a courtesan, took it again to the King and wished him to eat it. The King set to himself the task of enquiry about the return of the fruit to him, and it proved to be painful. The courtesan declared that she got the fruit from the King's keeper of the horse. The keeper was sent for and interrogated. He was taken aback and struck dumb. An assurance was given when he confessed that the fruit had been given to him by the Queen. The King allowed the keeper to depart, ate the fruit and without saying a single word to the queen, left his kingdom and betook himself to a forest where he composed, in all probability, the Vairagya Shataka.

15. The feeling of remorse and shame was too strong for the Queen. She, too, quietly left the place and went to the forest and immolated herself. While wandering in the forest, the King met Charpatinath who gave a full account of the Queen's former birth and her doings. He said to the King, that his queen—Padmakshi—was a courtesan in her former birth who had promised to meet a person at his house. She failed to keep the appointment and her lover died. That lover is now your keeper of the horse. Thus there was, he said, no reason to be angry with any one and that he would bring queen Padmakshi to life again. He did so and sent back the King with his queen whom he now named Pingala, enjoining him to rule his dominions for twelve years and return to the forest. Both the King and the Queen returned to the city much to the delight of the people, reigned for twelve years and returned to the forest after the expiry of that period. Here the King killed an antelope. His mate threw herself on the antelope's horns and expired. The King exclaimed—"Ah! what devotion this is". Pingala said there was nothing extraordinary in it except that such devotion was to be found even in the brute-creation, and that it was a lesson for man. A woman, who did not survive the death or even the tidings of the death of her husband, was certainly a devoted wife. The King kept quiet, and after some days sent out a report of his death. Pingala brought her life to an end at this. The King was maddened and while roaming about, came across Gorakshanath who broke his gourd-vessel in front of the King and began bewailing its loss. The King saw through the joke and said to the ascetic that the gourd was not impossible to replace, while the loss of Pingala was an irreparable one. Gorakshanath, with his superhuman powers, made hundred Pingalas stand before him. The King now clearly saw through the insignificance of worldly objects; and placing his brother Vikramaditya on the throne, went to the forest to lead the life of a Yogee.*

* See Nāth-Hlāmrita Chap. 17.

16. Bohlen gives a different account. He says, on the authority of Roger, a religious missionary who settled in the Karnatic about 1630, that "Bhartrihari had 300 wives and was addicted to a voluptuous life. Having been severely reprov'd by his father for his dissolute conduct, he repudiated his wives and collected—not composed—these Shatakas by making selections from older writers".*

Such is the tradition about Bhartrihari, which has been current among people, so much so that Hariharopadhyaya has composed a drama called Bhartrihari-nirveda on the basis of this traditional account. †

17. There is no doubt, a good deal of extravagant romance has been mixed in this account, which materially reduces its worth, but the very few variations, which appear to have crept into it in passing from mouth to mouth, lead us to the conclusion that some incident must have occurred in the life of Bhartrihari while in full splendour, to make him sick of the world and retire to a forest. His expressions indicative of disgust and stoic indifference for all mundane matters and his stern attacks on the female sex throughout his Shatakas‡ only strengthen this conclusion.

18. The Stanza given by us in the notes to the second stanza is not found in any other *Ms.* than the one recently obtained through Pandit Vaman Shastree from the Berars. We are not inclined to look upon it as Bhartrihari's. The conclusions arrived at in the foregoing paragraphs have been, therefore, mainly from the second stanza and all the traditional accounts. It must be borne in mind that the stanza alone, with the subject of the sentence in the first person in it, is not a sufficient basis by itself for any conclusion. If an inference is to be drawn from the

* See Bohlen's *Præfatio* p. 12 quoted by Mr. Telang.

† See *Kavyamālā* No. 29.

‡ These are so numerous and obvious, that they can be easily found out by the student himself.

subject being in the first person that, the narration refers to the poet's own circumstances in life, then a variety of conflicting conjectures and surmises can be drawn from Stanzas 32; 40; 42 and 87 of the Vairagya Shataka; while the fourth stanza in the same Shataka would only lead us to the conclusion, that a powerful and wealthy personage like our poet was harassed and tortured with miserable poverty and all his efforts resulted in nothing but utter disappointment. There was no necessity for Bhartrihari to hanker after wealth: the description does not refer to himself, but is only a graphic picture of what people yearning after lucre do and how far their efforts are successful. In Sanskrit the use of the first person pronoun has not necessarily any reference to the personal condition of the writer. Prof. Weber has held the same view that we do, with regard to Patanjali. He says " there would result a very curious biography of Patanjali, if all the examples, which he draws from common life and which are given by him in the *first* person, were to be considered as throwing light on his own personal experiences " (In : Antiquary Vol. II p. 207 a).

(VII) WAS THE AUTHOR OF THE VAKYAPADIYA AND THE SHATAKAS ONE AND THE SAME INDIVIDUAL ?

19. The *Kárikás* on Patanjali's Mahabhashya, which are held in high esteem by Sanskrit Grammarians, are ascribed to Bhartrihari. As regards their importance, Kaiyata the commentator of Mahabhashya, in his Bhashyapradipa says :—

भाष्यान्धिः कातिगंभीरः काहं मंदमतिस्ततः ॥

छात्राणामुपहास्यत्वं यास्यामि पिशुनात्मनाम् ॥

तथापि हरिबद्धेन सारेण ग्रन्थसेतुना ॥

क्रममाणः शनैः पारं तस्य प्राप्तास्मि पंगुवत् ॥

These one lac of Karikas are called by some Vakyapadiya, while others call them Harikarika. The author of this work was the pupil of Vasurát. Kaiyat wrote the Bhashyapradipa with the help of this work, which was thrown into the background by it. Colebrooke and Bohlen have alluded to this

account and it has been accepted by Telang in determining the time of Bhartrihari. We are not inclined to place much credence in this tradition and would rather go with the Nibandhamalakara who says:—

“ Patanjali, Kaiyata and others must have flourished long before Kalidas and Vikrama, since many of the grammatical forms which were current in the time of Kalidas had long been settled. It is not thus possible to reconcile the view that Kaiyata who lived* years before Vikramaditya could have been in any way indebted for his Karikas to the Bhartrihari who flourished in the times of Vikramaditya. Even there is a ring of greater antiquity in the names Kaiyata, Patanjali &c., than in the names Bhartrihari and Kalidas. The idea of Kaiyata being the pupil of Bhartrihari appears to be no more than mere tradition arising out of a similarity in names. ”

But to our mind this is insufficient. Kaiyata only calls the author of the Karikas by the name Hari†. It is no doubt possible to use Hari instead of Bhartrihari just as Bhámá is often used instead of Satya-Bhámá, but there are strong grounds to say that the author of the Shatakas and that of the Vakyapadiya were not identical. Mr. K. B. Pathak has proved that the author of the Vakyapadiya was a follower of the Buddha religion, while the same cannot be said about the author of the Shatakas.

Mr. Kale has summarised the arguments of Mr. Pathak. He says:—

“ The Chinese traveller I-tsing who paid a visit to India, towards the close of the seventh century, states that the grammarian Bhartrihari died forty years before his visit. The author of the Vakyapadiya, the Chinese pilgrim says, was a Buddhist, who ‘believed deeply in the three jewels and meditated on the twofold voidness.’ Vachaspatimishra, a writer of the 11th

* Dr. Buhler considers Kaiyata to be not older than the 13th century!

† In some of the *Mss.* of the Shatakas, we have not even Hari but only Hara or Bhartrihara e. g. in the Stanza (Niti 2) our poet is called so.

century, speaks of the author of the Vakyapadiya as a Bāhya which means Veda-bāhya and this word was applied to the Buddhists. This confirms the statement of I-tsing that the grammarian Bhartrihari was a Buddhist. Kumarila indulges in a violent invective against the author of the Vakyapadiya, which it would be difficult to understand under any supposition except that he was a Buddhist."

20. All this tends to confirm our view that the author of the Vakyapadiya and that of the Shatakas were two separate individuals. Looking at the Shatakas from a grammatical point of view, we cannot say that they are the compositions of a close grammarian like the author of the Vakyapadiya*

(VIII) WAS THE BHATTIKAVYA COMPOSED BY BHARTRIHARI ?

21. The Bhattikavya contains an account of the exploits of Rama and special attention seems to have been devoted to the grammatical formations with a view to help the students. Even the author of the Siddhant Kaumudi has used illustrations and examples from Bhattikavya. Not only does the poem abound in grammatical forms, but some of its cantos are full of figures of speech. This poem consists of 22 cantos and the whole of it is available. It does not, therefore, require any detailed reference. It is believed to have been written by Bhartrihari the author of Shatakas. This is perhaps because one of the commentators† (Bharata) mentions Bhartrihari as the author of the poem. But this Bhartrihari and the author of our poem, were not the same as will be seen from the following observations.

22. The author of the Vakyapadiya was a learned grammarian, so was the author of the Bhattikavya; but the former fol-

* See § 22 h.

† There have, in all, been nine commentators on this poem, of whom the commentaries of Jaymangala and Bharata are, well-known at the present day.

lowed the Bhuddhistic religion, while the latter did not belong to that sect as can be seen from the internal evidence of the Bhattikavya. This settles one point. The other one, that remains, is with regard to the identity or otherwise, of the author of the Bhattikavya and of the Shatakas. They were different, because

(a) The commentator Bharata calls the author of the poem by the name Bhartrihari. This is the only mention without any other reference or allusion. The other commentator Jayamangala mentions the author's name as श्रीस्वामिसूनुः भट्टिनामा. Thus there is a disagreement between the two commentators.

(b) Colebrooke says that Bhartrihari the author of Bhattikavya was the son of Khiraswami. There were two individuals of this name—one the tutor of King Jayapida and the other who was at the court of Prataprudra. Colebrooke does not say, which of these two was the father of Bhartrihari.

(c) Bhartrihari the author of the Shatakas was an Advaitawadi, but it can be safely asserted that he was devoted to the worship of Shiva, while the author of the Bhattikavya was a devotee of Vishnu.

(d) The author of the Shatakas was a Khshatriya, while that of the Bhattikavya was a Bramhan.

(e) The author of the Shatakas was connected with Ujjaini, while the author of Bhattikavya resided in Valabhi. *

* In the original work the author has not made any mention of his name, but has given the name of the place where the poem was written and the name of the King, in the last stanza :—

काव्यमिदं विहितं मया ' वलभ्यां ' श्रीधरसेननरेन्द्रपालितायाम् ।

कीर्तिरतो भवतान्त्रपस्य तस्य क्षेमकरः क्षितिपो यतः प्रजानाम् ॥

" Valabhi appears to have been the next capital (after the old Dwarka) of the country (Saurashtra), the ruins of which were discovered at Bilbi 10 miles N. W. of Bhownagar." *Apte*.

(f) Shridharsena the ruler of Valabhi flourished, as Lassen says, between 530 and 545 A. D. and our poet flourished long * before that.

(g) As observed by Mr. Govind Shankar Shastri Bapat in his preface, the old writers refer to them with different names and the author of the Bhattikavya is generally referred to by the name Bhatti. †

(h) There is a studied care and accuracy about the grammatical forms and construction in the Bhattikavya. Such, however, is not the case in the Shatakas. In some places there is looseness of structure and grammatical forms ‡ which, in all probability, would never have been allowed to creep in by the author of the Bhattikavya in his compositions.

From all these facts we are led to the conclusion that the authors of the Bhattikavya and the Shatakas were two different individuals. Moreover, some say Bhatti was the son§ of Bhartrihari. Some call him Bhartrihari's brother, while others affirm that Vikrama took Bhatti as his Prime Minister § after he had gained the throne. From all these various conjectures one conclusion is certain that Bhatti and Bhartrihari were two different individuals.

* See § 47.

† कथंताहि ' हा पितः कासि हे सुभ्रु ' इति भट्टिः *Siddh: Kau:*

‡ As instances शाल्यन्नं सघृतं पयोदधियुतं भुञ्जन्ति ये मानवाः (Shrin 95) where it ought to have been भुञ्जते. भुजोऽनवने *Pāni: 1 iii. 66. see also* Stanzas 2 ; 9 ; 81 ; 86 98 of the Niti and 45 of Vairā : and our notes on them. We are of opinion that such inaccuracies could not have been acceptable to the Bhattikara whose special aim was grammatical forms, or to a grammarian like the author of the Vakyapadiya.

§ Dr. Bhāu says :—" Bhatti is popularly believed to have been a son of Bhartrihari *Jour B. B. R. A. S. Jan. 1862 p. 219.*

§ Bohlen says :—" They say that Vikrama in fact got possession of the kingdom and took to himself Bhatti as his Prime Minister ; " also see Sheshagiri Shastree's view *infra.*

(IX) IS RAHATKAVYA BHARTRIHARI'S ?

23. The Kavicharitra makes mention of a small poem of 22 stanzas called Rāhatkavya by Bhartrihari in which is epitomised the whole of the epic poem of the Ramayana and that it has been written with accuracy according to the rules of grammar and rhetoric. Even if such a laconic writer as Panini could not condense his Ashtādhyāyī into less than 4,000 Sūtras, it seems hardly possible to have all grammatical and rhetorical questions condensed into only twenty-two stanzas. The name of the poem too is curious. We have not seen the poem ourselves but taking all collateral circumstances into consideration, we are inclined to agree with the Nibandhamala which says :—" it has been mentioned in the Kavicharitra that a poem called Rahat Kavya is current under the authorship of Bhartrihari, but we feel there is some mistake and that the author of the Kavicharitra had perhaps Bhattikavya in mind."

(X) WAS BHARTRIHARI THE AUTHOR OF THE VIDNYANA SHATAKA ?

24. Krishna Shastree Ghule of Nagpur has sent out the Vidnyana Shataka with a commentary and introduction &c. and says that the poem is by Bhartrihari; but a cursory perusal of the poem failed to produce, on our minds, the impression that the poem was from the pen of Bhartrihari. We fully agree with the remarks in the Granthmala* on the subject. We give a substance of the views expressed in that magazine.

25. Krishna Shastri relies for his conclusion mainly on the similarity of letters, similarity of words and thought, a current of the same Vedantic philosophy running through the three Shatakas as well as the Vidnyana Shataka; while to our mind these very arguments seem to go against the theory of one authorship and tend to prove that the Vidnyana Shataka is a recent production.

* Granthamala Vol. V. No. 3.

(a) Stiff and complicated expressions such as उत्क्रान्तिभाजः for mortals, प्रालेयाबल for Himalaya, सुपर्वसवन्ती for Ganges, उपजारक in the sense of enticing, उपरीहा to convey the idea of ' desire for final emancipation ', and expressions such as प्रबलदुरितानीतविधुरं; श्रुतिजनितविश्वासमुषितः are to be found in the Vidnyana Shataka, while their conspicuous absence from the three Shatakas is noteworthy.

(b) There is a similarity of thought in many places but in the one the style is simple and pure, in the other it is rugged and involved; thus in the Vairagya Shataka we have

यस्यास्ति विस्रं स नरः कुलीनः स पंडितः स श्रुतेमान् गुणज्ञः ॥

स एव वक्ता स च दर्शनीयः सर्वे गुण्यः कञ्चनभाश्रयन्ति ॥

This idea is spun out in Stanza 82 of the Vidnyana Shataka in the following manner :—

आद्यः कश्चिदपि इतोऽपि विदुषां सेव्यः सदा धार्मिको

विशेषागुपजारको मृगदशामानन्दकन्दाकरः ॥

कपूरश्रुतिकीर्तिभूषितहरिद्रुमण्डले गीयते

शश्वद्वन्दिजनैर्महीतनुभृतः पुण्यैर्न कस्योदयः ॥

Another illustrative instance

पुरा विद्वत्तासीदुपशमवतां क्लेशहतये

गता कालेनासौ विषयमुखसिद्धयै विषयिणाम् ॥

इदानीं तु प्रेक्ष्य क्षितितलभुजः शास्त्रविमुखा—

नहो कष्टं सापि प्रतिदिनमधोऽधः प्रविशति ॥ *Vaira : St. 28.*

निस्सारा वसुधाधुना समजनि प्रौढप्रतापानल—

ज्वालाजालसमाकुला द्विपघटासंघट्टविक्षोभिता ॥

म्लेच्छानां रथवाजिपत्तिनिवहैरुन्मीलिता कीदृशी—

यं विद्या भवितेति हन्त न सखे जानीमहे मोहिताः ॥

Vidnya : St. 66.

(c) In the Vidnyana Shataka the philosophy of Shankaracharya and his phraseology is largely used; Krishna Shastri

perceives the same in the three Shatakas and therefore he says that the Vidnyana Shataka is by the same author. He goes further to say that Bhartrihari must have flourished after Shankaracharya; but phrases and words such as जाग्रत्, स्वप्न, सुषुप्ति, तुरीय, मायाप्रपञ्च, कूटस्थ, रज्जुसर्पन्याय, तत्त्वमसि, ब्रह्मगात्मा, गगन-नगर which are to be found in the Vidnyana Shataka distinctly, are absent from the three Shatakas. It is therefore not correct to assign the Shatakas to a period after Shankaracharya, although the same cannot be said about the Vidnyana Shataka.

(d) A pointed mention of the country being harassed by the Mahomedans is made in Stanzas 28-65-66-96 of the Vidnyana Shataka. Krishna Shastree finds the same in Stanza 28 of the Vairagya Shataka and adduces this as an argument in support of one authorship. We are, however, bound to say what we feel. The account in Stanza 28 of Vairagya Shataka is a general one and the last two lines of it are almost similar to बोद्धारो मत्सरप्रस्ता: &c. *Vairāgya* St. 2. Moreover, there is not a single Stanza in all the three Shatakas where there is any pointed allusion to the Mahomedans, and we fail to see why it should have been made in the Vidnyana Shataka alone, if it were by the author of the other three Shatakas.

(e) The benedictory verse of the Vidnyana Shataka is addressed to Ganapati (the elephant-headed deity), while none of the *Mss*: of the three Shatakas contain a verse addressed to that class of deities.

(f) The Vidnyana Shataka abounds in Stanzas of the longest metres and is characterised by a conspicuous absence of the smaller metres such as the अनुष्टुप्, आर्या, इन्द्रवज्रा, उपजाति, वंशस्थ, द्रुतविलम्बित, शालिना and others, while these are largely adopted by the author of the three Shatakas.

(g) The three Shatakas have alluded to the Dashawataara, Bramha, and Vishnu and the author has shown a marked

predilection for devotion to Shiwa, while in the Vidnyana Shataka we have allusions to Chakrapani, Shri Krishna, Shri Ranga, Gopal, Mukund, &c., without the special adoption of a particular deity.

26. Mr. Colebrooke's remark of an existence of "three or four centuries of couplets" cannot to our mind refer to the existence of the Vidnyana Shataka, but may, in all probability, be only made on account of the total Stanzas of the three Shatakas having gone up to four hundred and over, by the additions made to the original from time to time.

27. Although there are some Stanzas in the Vidnyana Shataka which come up to those in the three Shatakas of Bhartrihari in style and richness of thought, and although we welcome the Vidnyana Shataka as an addition to Sanskrit literature, we cannot accept it as Bhartrihari's.

(XI) WAS BHARTRIHARI A CONTEMPORARY OF KALIDAS ?

28. It seems to be believed by some that Kalidas and our poet were contemporaries. There is a great similarity in the style and poetic flow of both. The general notion of Bhartrihari being the elder brother of Vikramaditya and Kalidas being one of the nine gems of the court of that King, give a strong support to the view of contemporaneity.

29. Mr. Nandargikar observes ".....From these proofs we think we have no hesitation to place Kalidas somewhere between 300 B. C. and 100 B. C. To this date perhaps grammar would be an objection. But we know that Kalidas uses लुङ्, लङ्, लिङ् promiscuously. In his works we think the poet makes no distinction whatever between लुङ्, लङ् and लिङ्."* From this it appears Bhartrihari flourished after Kalidas. Mr. Telang holds

* Nandargikar's preface to Raghu p. 201.

the same view. He says in his Introduction to his Edition of Bhartrihari, that "our author was probably later than Kalidas, but the date of Kalidas himself cannot be regarded as so well settled that it need be allowed to interfere or modify any conclusions arrived at, by other lines of reasoning".

30. The nine gems of the court of Vikramaditya were

धन्वन्तरिः क्षपणकोऽमरसिंहशङ्कुवेतालभट्टघटकपर्पकालिदासाः ॥

ख्यातो बराहमिहिरो नृपतेः सभायां रत्नानि वै वररचिर्नव विक्रमस्य ॥

The name of Bhartrihari does not appear in this verse. Moreover, there seems to be a stronger and preponderating opinion that Bhartrihari handed over his kingdom to his brother Vikrama and went to the forest. Hence there is hardly any ground to establish Dr. Bhau's view that our poet was one of the nine gems.

(XII) BHARTRIHARI THE DISCIPLE OF CHARPATINATH
AND COMPANION OF MATSYENDRANATH, GORAKSHA-
NATH AND OTHERS.

31. Bhartrihari was a great Yogi and recluse. Near old Ujjaini, a hollow in the mountain is pointed out as Bhartrihari's 'Gumpha' which had a subterranean communication with Banaras in olden times, but is now closed. Such accounts of subterranean passages are very popular, but in connection with the present cavern, it might be said that it points, though in a very slight degree, to Bhartrihari's retirement from the world. An account about Charpatinath and of the advice by Gorakshanath has already been given in § 15. Maināwati the sister of Bhartrihari * was the mother of Gopichanda whose connection with Gorakshanath, Matsyendranath and others, is well-known. An argument against this view is, that those ascetics came in before Vikramaditya. The only way to recon-

* See § 48.

cile this point would be to assume that they had secured longevity by their austere life or that Matsyendranath, Gorakshanath &c., were names generally adopted by the leaders of the school, just as every one who became the head of the Matha was called Shankaracharya.

(XIII) PERIOD WHEN BHARTRIHARI FLOURISHED.

32. We have already given all the current traditions and popular beliefs about Bhartrihari and his poems. Now we propose to examine all the data which may help us in determining the period when he flourished and give the conclusions which are deducible from them.

33. Two classes of data have to be examined in the determination of the period of an author—one is the external evidence, and the other, the internal. These have to be resorted to in the absence of documentary proofs, which is the case with regard to almost all Sanskrit works.

34. There is no mention, not even an allusion to the poet's own period in the Shatakas, nor is there any direct information about the poet himself. Under such circumstances whatever indirect proofs may be adduced, they are sure to be conflicting or hazy.

35. There does not appear to be any opposition among antiquarians to the idea that Bhartrihari was the elder brother of Vikramaditya. There is a mention of this fact in the opening portion of the Sinhâsan Battishi and the Vetâlpanchawishi. The point then which has to be determined is the time of Vikramaditya, which will by itself serve to fix the period of our poet.

36. The present is the 1956th year of the Samvat era which is current in India north of the Narmada. It is a well-known fact that Vikramaditya was the founder of this era. Apparently then, there seems to be no difficulty about the age of our poet,

but there are certain facts brought forward against this view. For instance :—

(i) Dr. Kern, Prof. Weber, Prof. Maxmuller, are all of opinion that there is no proof to show, that any King by name Vikramaditya at all flourished in India 56/57 years before Christ *

(ii) Mr. Fergusson has started the bold theory that what is called the era of Vikramaditya 56 B. C. was a date arrived at by taking the date of the great battle of Korur in which Vikrama Harsha of Ujjaini finally defeated the Mlechchhas in 544 A. D. and by throwing back the beginning of the new era 6×100 (or 10×60 before that date i. e. 56 B. C.† See Nandar: Preface to Raghu p. 43.

(iii) Dr. Kern has held in his preface to the Brihatsanhita, that the Vikrama or Samvat era was not established in 56/57 B. C., but in or about 78 A. D. and this view appears to have been countenanced by Mr. Telang.

37. The first idea can easily be perceived to be untenable since,

“ From an extract of the Patawali (composed by Merutungacharya, a Jain Pandit) it will be seen that there was a King named Vikramaditya who reigned 135 years before the commencement of the Shaka era ” *Nandargikar's Preface to Raghu* p. 47.

The account in the Katha Saritsagar supports the above view. *Katha*: 120. p. 651.

If the system of Aryan computation recognised by Jyotish Shastra be taken into consideration, the first view shrivels into nothing. Six promulgators of eras are mentioned.

* The Literary remains of Dr. Bhau Daji p. 9 ; see also Dr. Fleet's Gupta inscriptions—Introduction pp. 37, 56.

† Journal of the Royal Asiatic Society 1880, on the Shaka, Samvat, and Gupta eras ; a supplement to his paper on Indian Chronology, 1870.

युधिष्ठिरो विक्रमशास्त्रिवाहनो ततो नृपः स्याद्विजयाभिनन्दनः ॥

ततस्तु नागार्जुनमूपतिः कलौ कल्की षडेते शककारकाः स्मृताः ॥

The first, Yuddhishtira, flourished in Indraprastha and his era lasted for 3044 years; the second was Vikrama whose era continued paramount for 135 years. The third was Shalivahana. This information is to be seen in every Hindu calendar. How this line of the founders of the several eras has come down in an unbroken chain can be seen by a reference to the second number of Vol. IX Vividha Dnyana Vistāra. From the commencement of the Kali-yuga there reigned eighty Kings, during whose time the Yuddhishtira era was current. The era of Vikrama King of Ujjaini began in the Raktakshi-nāma Samvatsara.

38. With regard to the second view it might be mentioned, that there were perhaps more than one Bhartrihari and more than one Vikrama. That Bhartrihari, who was coeval with Vikrama the founder of the Samvat era, was without doubt the author of the three Shatakas. Mr. Nandargikar has proved that the King who defeated the Mlechchhas at the battle of Korur was not the founder of the Samvat era. We give the conclusion of that critical gentleman in his own words with regard to Mr. Fergusson's view: "Mr. Fergusson's theory collapses and the tradition upon which our belief in the Vikramaditya of the 1st century B. C. really rests, is, in this instance corroborated by a fact and also substantiated by a tradition of remote antiquity founded upon an astronomical data".

Pref: to Raghu p. 60.

39. The third theory is also exploded by these arguments, and the general idea, which has come down unchallenged, is no small support to the view we uphold.

40. From all that has been said in the foregoing paragraphs, it will be perceived that the founder of the Samvat era ruled in Ujjaini about 56/57 B. C. and that ought to be taken as the period when our poet flourished.

41. There are a few references to support our view which we quote.

(a) “ This celebrated poet was born in the latter half of the 30th century of the Yuddhishtira era. He was the elder brother of Vikramaditya and ruled in Ujjaini before him. Hence he flourished about 2000 years ago ”.

Arwāchīna Kosha.

(b) “ Bhartrihari was the elder brother of Vikramaditya and ruled in Ujjaini about 135 years before Shaliwahan.”

Kavicharitra.

42. There is no reference to Bhartrihari in other old works. In the Panchatantra is found one of the Stanzas* from Bhartrihari along with others from different authors. An extract exactly similar to it is found in the Persian Kalila-u-Dimnah which is a translation of the Panchatantra (though not direct as Mr. Telang remarks, See his preface p. xiii) prepared for the Persian monarchs about 531-79 A. D. From this it is clear that the Panchatantra must have been composed about 500 B. C. and the Nitishataka ought to have been before that date.

43. The arguments in favour have thus far been examined and we now propose to go into those which are opposed to our view,

(1) There is only a very little difference between our date and Mr. Telang's. He has taken Bhartrihari about 135 years forward i. e. according to his view Bhartrihari flourished in the concluding period of the first century or the beginning of the second century after Christ.

(2) Antiquarians assign about 150 years before Christ as the period of Patanjali the author of Mahabhashya. For a time this work was in the background and was brought forward by

* Stanza 91, Nitishataka.

Chandracharya, Vasurata and others. Later on the author of the Vakyapadiya prepared his work on the basis of the Mahabhashya, with regard to which he himself says :—

“ यः पतञ्जलिशिष्येभ्यो भ्रष्टो व्याकरणागमः ॥
 कालेन दक्षिणात्येषु ग्रन्थमात्रव्यवस्थितः ॥
 तदेवमुत्सन्नकल्पो जातो व्याकरणागमः ॥
 पर्वतादागमं लब्ध्वा भाष्यबीजानुसारिभिः ॥
 स नीतो बहुशास्त्रं चंद्राचार्यादिभिः पुनः ॥
 न्यायप्रस्थानमार्गीस्तानभ्यस्य स्वं च दर्शनम् ॥
 प्रणीतो गुरुणाऽस्माकमयमागमसंग्रहः ॥
 भ्रष्टस्यान्नायसारस्य वैव्याकरणगमिनः ॥
 मूलभूतमवाप्याथ पर्वतादागमं स्वयम् ॥
 आचार्यवसुरातेन न्यायमार्गान् विचिन्त्य च ॥
 प्रणीतो विधिवच्चायं मम व्याकरणागमः ॥
 मयापि गुरुनिर्देशाद्भाष्याम्नायाविलुप्तये ॥
 कांडत्रयक्रमेणायं निबन्धः परिकीर्तितः ॥ ”

(3) Mr. Telang accepts Bhartrihari as the elder brother of Vikramaditya, but according to his opinion the three Shatakas and the Vakyapadiya have one and the same author, and since the latter came out after Patanjali's Mahabhashya, it is more than probable that at least 200 years must have elapsed before “ all those vicissitudes in the treatment of the Mahabhashya and that line of its descent to himself which Bhartrihari refers to at length in Vakyapadiya ”. On this theory Mr. Telang seems to base his view that Bhartrihari flourished in the beginning of Shalivahan era, which he calls the Vikrama era. We do not agree with this view as has been already said above, nor do we accept the idea that a period of 200 years should have elapsed between Patanjali and the author of the Shatakas, for we have already shown that the author of the Vakyapadiya and the author of the Shatakas were two distinct individuals. We do not, therefore, see any objection to assign B. C. 56-57 to Bhartrihari the author of the Shatakas.

44. In his preface to the *Vidnyanshataka*, Krishna Shastri Ghule assigns the first half of the 7th century A. D. as the time for Bhartrihari on the assumption that he was the brother of Vikramaditya who defeated the Mlechchhas at Korur. In support of this, the Shastri brings forward the writings of the Chinese traveller I-tsing. Since we do not accept *Vidnyanashataka* as the work of our Bhartrihari, we do not enter into a discussion of the date assigned by Ghule Shastri to the author of the *Vidnyanashataka*. The conqueror of the Mlechchhas at the battle of Korur was Harsha Vikrama and was a different personage from the founder of the Samvat era, * He was not the brother of Bhartrihari our poet. The Bhartrihari, who is mentioned by I-tsing the Chinese traveller as having died in A. D. 630, was in all probability the great grammarian and author of the *Vakyapadiya* as has been shown above.

45. Ghule Shastri discovers a similarity both as regards phraseology and thought in the writings of Shankaracharya and in those of the Shatakas. This view holds good to a pretty great extent with regard to the *Vidnyanashataka*. It must, however, here be mentioned that the difference between the संसारविच्छिन्ति and स्वर्ग, कर्मनिर्मूलन, त्रिभुवनमपि ब्रह्ममनुते and such other general Vedantic ideas, which are met with in the three Shatakas, existed long before Shankaracharya as will be seen by a reference to the Upanishadas, Vedanta-sutra and the Bhagwatgita. This, therefore, is enough to show the hollowness of the argument that the author of the three Shatakas flourished after Shankaracharya.

46. There is a reference to the Puranas in Stanza 81 of the *Vairagyashataka*. European Scholars with Prof. Wilson at their head, deny any great antiquity to the Puranas and Samhitas. They do not concede to them an antiquity beyond 1000 years, but that is all more or less on conjecture. What

* See § 33 *supra*.

makes up the original Puran, how much of it is interpolation, and how it has been introduced, are points which, it is next to impossible, to decide. But there are numerous grounds to establish their antiquity far beyond 1000 years.

(a) Prof. Wilson, who has upheld the Puranas to have come into existence after Shankaracharya, has probably not noticed a reference to them in Shankaracharya's commentary on the Shwetashwatara Upnishad. Assuming the eighth century as the time when Shankaracharya flourished,* this very reference in the commentary is by itself a sufficiently strong argument to dispel the notion of the Puranas not being older than 1000 years.

(b) There is a consensus of opinion that Bána flourished about the sixth or seventh century. The Puranas in general are mentioned in his Kadambari and there is a specific allusion to the Vayupurana in it.

(c) There is a mention of the Puranas in the Upnishadas and Yádnavalkya Smriti. But we do not think that these Puranas, and those which are now current, are identical. The Puranas alluded to in the Upnishadas and Yadnyavalkya Smriti must have been some old works not now forthcoming. Prof. Wilson himself accepts this view. Hence the mere mention of Puranapáthana by Bhartrihari is not enough to fix his date, for we are not in a position to say with confidence, which of the two classes of Puranas he had in his mind when he wrote the 81st Stanza of the Vairagya Shataka.

(d) It is a general belief that Vyása was the author of the 18 Puranas and expressions such as अष्टादशपुराणेषु व्यासस्य वचनद्वयम् and others are current in the language. Vyasa systematized

* Mr. Telang, Dr. Bhandarkar and others have assigned the sixth or at the most, seventh century to Shankaracharya, (vide Telang's preface to the Mudra-Ra.). An examination of the papers in the records of the Shringeri Matha show that Shankaracharya the founder, flourished long before the sixth century.

and arranged the Vedas. Thus on the one hand, he put into order the Vedas and on the other, composed the Puranas. He might, therefore, be safely looked upon as the connecting link between the Vedic and the Pauranic periods. Astronomical calculations have shown that the Pandavas flourished 5000 years ago. This can be verified from the Yudhisthira era mentioned above. It is well-known that the Pandvas disappeared from this world at the commencement of the Kali-yuga. In the Hindu Calendar for Shaka 1821, we find a mention made of 5000 years of the Kaliyuga having gone by. This then is by itself enough to establish the disappearance of the Pandavas 5000 years ago. Vyasa was their grandfather and if he composed the Puranas, we can easily compute their antiquity. In this connection we give a short extract from No. 2 vol. 9 of Balabodha. "The Hindus look upon the Vedas—their sacred book—as coeval with the breath of the Divinity. But Vyasa arranged the Vedas, hence he is called Veda-vyasa. He might, therefore, be looked upon as the founder of the Hindu religion. Vyasa's mother was Satyavati the daughter of a fisherman. His father was Paráshara Rishi the son of Shakti who himself was the son of Vasistha. Thus Vyasa was the great-grandson of Vasistha. King Dharma and the five Pandavas were the grandsons of Vyasa. These left the world in the beginning of Kaliyuga which is now 5000 years old; hence Vyasa, the founder of the Hindu religion, must have existed long before 5000 years and the Vedas, many centuries before this."

47. Thus taking all the *pros* and *cons* into consideration and weighing all circumstantial and corroborative testimony, we see no reason to accept any other but B. C. 56-57 as the date of our author.

(XIV) BHARTRIHARI AND HIS FAMILY.

48. A connected account of the ancestors of Bhartrihari is not available. The Arwachina Kosha mentions 'Virasena' as

the name of his father who is said to be a Gandharwa. In one or two Marathi works Gandharwasena* is mentioned as the father of our poet and Vikramaditya as his brother. This Gandharwasena had four wives. They bore him six sons of whom Bhartrihari was the eldest and Vikramaditya was the youngest. The names of the other children are not mentioned. In the Arwachina Kosha it is said that four children were born viz. Bhartrihari, Vikramaditya, Subhatavirya and Maināwati. The last was the mother of the celebrated Gopichanda.

49. Bhartrihari's mother was Sushila the only daughter of the King of Jambudwipa. This king had no other issue and hence entrusted the reins of his kingdom to the eldest son of his daughter—Bhartrihari, who transferred the seat of government to Ujjaini, handed over the kingdom to Vikramaditya and nominated Subhatavirya to the office of commander-in-chief. †

50. The name of Bhartrihari's wife was Padmākshi and she was the daughter of Sinhasena King of Magadha. She came to be called Pingalā later on. ‡ We have already mentioned that her name appears as Anangasena in one *Ms.* Hariharopadhyaya gives her name as Bhānumati. Bohlen says Bhartrihari had 300 wives!

51. Mr. Sheshagiri Shastri gives a very curious account. He says " King Vikramaditya is said to have been the son of a Brahman named Chandragupta who married four wives, one of the Bramhan caste, another of the Kshatriya, the third of the Vaishya and the fourth of the Shudra caste. They were called Brahmani, Bhanumati, Bhagyawati, and Sindhumati.

* The following account appears in Govind Khanderao Chitnis' Bakhar:—Vikrama was born of a Rajput woman at Caubay from a Gandharva. He went to Ujjaini and acquired a kingdom from Kāhipraka of Delhi.

† See Nath-Lilamrita Chap. XIV.

‡ See § 15 *supra*.

Each of the four bore him a son. Vararuchi was born of the first wife, Vikramark of the second, Bhatti of the third and Bhartrihari of the fourth. Vikramark became king while Bhatti served him in the capacity of Prime Minister ”.

(XY) THE SHATAKAS, THEIR PHILOSOPHY AND
RELIGION.

52. The Shatakas were composed when Bhartrihari had renounced the world. It is not easy to say in what order they were written, but from the subject matter of each of them, it is likely that the Shringarshatak was written first, then followed the Niti and lastly the Vairagyashataka. The Nibandhamalakara has remarked that the sentiments and ideas pictured in the Shringar Shataka are such as suit the adolescence of Youth, those in the Niti Shataka are appropriate to middle age, while those in the Vairagya Shataka appear most suited to ripe old age. The first gives expression to feelings and sentiments which arise in the mind when there is buoyancy of spirit, freshness of vigour and vivacity of youth; the second manifests thoughts arising from a deeper insight into the world and its trammels; and the third is the outcome of a mind tired and disgusted with the turmoils of mundane material matters seeking repose in renunciation, calm contentment and quietude and religious meditation.*

53. We shall endeavour to give a fuller account:—

The Shringar Shataka describes beautiful women, their nature and deportment and their effect on the mind of man. Along with this there is a description of the different seasons. The poet graphically pictures the effects of all this on the strongest of minds and how they fall victims to the shafts of Love. He, however, does not forget to despise harlots and to censure the weakness of man, exhorting him who stands proof against the wiles and amorous attractions of woman. This

* Nibandhamala No. 28.

may be said to show the tendency of our poet's views in his days of youthful ardour.

The second is an endeavour to show the difficulty of the task of bringing fools to their senses, and the various methods resorted to by the greedy to acquire wealth, is rich in high sentiments about conduct in this world, such as the nobleness in adhering to a promise, the value of learning, self-respect, valour, moral courage, and large-mindedness. In addition to this, it inculcates principles which will be met with in almost every religion, the importance of industry, the traits of a true friend and a contrast of the conduct of a virtuous and noble-hearted man with that of a selfish and little-minded individual. These and other various subjects are so pointedly treated in an epigrammatic form and are of such general applicability that the stanzas will continue to hold a high rank in the literature selected for the inculcation of principles and rules for the conduct of youth in this world.

The third and the last viz : Vairagyashntaka, as its very name indicates, abounds in aphorisms holding out the greedy to ridicule, and the arrogance of the rich to contempt. It has pointed out in vigorous language the high pressure of physical wants under which the strongest of minds are apt to break down but exhorts the reader to a devotion to the Supreme Providence who is the only controller of all the universe, and exults in directing man to a renunciation of all worldly matters and seek final beatitude in the Great Almighty through his various manifestations.

54. Some critics have hinted that Bhartrihari was Buddhist in his teachings, but we see no grounds to go with them. If there are aphorisms inculcating the principles of kindness to all living creatures and the like, they are such as can be found in any other religion. We have no hesitation to say that the principles laid down by our poet are of such universal a nature that they will suit all faiths and all times, if rightly interpreted.

If any particular faith is at all to be ascribed to Bhartrihari, we would set him down as an Adwaitwádi from the numerous specific references which he makes to Vedantic theories in his poems. His expressions with regard to the devotion to that manifestation of the Almighty in its material form as Shiwa* and his strictures on womankind in general, show him to be an austere ascetic who had very little regard for the material world. In a word, Bhartrihari's Vairagyashataka is full of devotion, knowledge and contentment which is its peculiar characteristic. The vividity and accuracy of the scenic descriptions given by him cannot be realised by those who are the slaves of the world and who are panting after its fleeting and ephemeral gains; but they can be appreciated by those who have turned aside their minds from all such matters and have devoted themselves to the contemplation of that benign Providence who is the haven of all—the rich as well as the poor, the happy as well as the distressed. For instance, those who have undertaken and accomplished the circuit of the river Narmadá, have amply borne out our poet with regard to his rich descriptions of moonlights on the sides of the river and the high moral pitch to which the mind is carried in those scences, on calm and quiet nights such as are delineated by our poet.

(XVI) THE POSITION OF THE SHATAKAS FROM
A LITERARY POINT.

55. Although the style of composition of the Shatakas can not be said to come up to that of Jayadeva or Jagannath Pandita, still it is fluent, harmonious, and rich in words full of meaning. It is neither artificial nor laboured. It is so chaste, so simple and so flowing that the meaning and thought of the author is grasped by the most ordinary reader, even if he does not possess an accurate knowledge of the Sanskrit language in its manifold complexities. Enough has already been said of

* See Buckle's History of civilization.

the accuracy of description of physical phenomena and of their effects delineated by our poet. The propositions and general principles enunciated by Bhartrihari have been so lucidly put forward and so well substantiated by instances from every-day life, that they readily catch the heart of the reader. His verses possess these characteristics to such a degree, that they are quoted freely in conversation and didactic discourses, which in itself is no small proof of the richness and superiority of the compositions of Bhartrihari. We must not forget that there are some grammatical inaccuracies and involved constructions in Bhartrihari's poems, but both are so few and small that they do not block the progress of the reader either in grasping the meaning or in appreciating the beauty of thought.

The metres adopted in the Shatakas are small, vigorous and varied, which serve not only to break the monotony but to lend a charm to the composition. Moreover, the verses abound in figures of speech which are so natural and easy that they neither demand any extraordinary labour nor great learning from the reader. The more these stanzas are read, the more agreeable they become. The mind is never satiated; new beauties are discovered every time a Stanza is read and either a new train of thought is set in motion or the same more firmly impressed. The charm of the poem is heightened with each reading. क्षणे क्षणे यन्नवतामुपैति तदेव रूपं रमणीयतायाः *Magha* IV. 17 can be aptly said with regard to Bhartrihari.

56. We propose to conclude our examination of the history of the poet and his writings by a few extracts which to our mind have their own value. First, from the Shringara Shataka which probably has been omitted from the University curriculum as a whole on grounds which can be easily understood, but which nevertheless contains passages rich in thought and expression :—

शृंगारशतक.*

मत्तेभकुम्भदलने भुवि सन्ति शूराः केचित्प्रचण्डमृगराजवधेऽपि दक्षाः ॥
किंतु ब्रवीमि बलिनां पुरतः प्रसह्य कन्दर्पदर्पदलने विरला मनुष्याः ॥ ६ ॥
स्मितेन भावेन च लजया भिया पराङ्मुखैरर्धकटाक्षवीक्षणैः ॥

वचोभिरीर्ष्याकलहेन लीलया समस्तभावैः खलु बन्धनं स्त्रियः ॥ ७ ॥

सत्यं जना वन्धि न प्रक्षपाताल्लोकेषु सर्वेष्वतितथ्यमेतत् ॥

नान्यन्मनोहारि नितम्बिनीभ्यो दुःखस्य हेतुर्नहि कश्चिदन्यः ॥ ९ ॥

लीलावतीनां सहजा विलासास्तएव मूढस्य हृदि स्फुरन्ति ॥

रागो नलिन्या हि निसर्गसिद्धस्तत्र भ्रमत्येव मुधा षडङ्गिः ॥ १० ॥

वस्त्रं चन्द्रविडम्बि पङ्कजपरीहासक्षमे लोचने वर्णः स्वर्णमपा-

करिष्णुरलिनीजिष्णुः कचानां चयः ॥ वक्षोजाविभकुम्भविभ्रमहरौ

गुर्वी नितम्बस्थली वाचोहारि च मार्दवं युवतिषु स्वाभाविकं मण्डनम् ॥ २२ ॥

भ्रूचातुर्याकुञ्चिताक्षाः कटाक्षाः स्निग्धा वाचो लज्जितान्ताश्च हासाः ॥

लीलामन्दं प्रस्थितं सस्मितं च स्त्रीणामेतद्भूषणं चायुधं च ॥ २४ ॥

स्मितं किञ्चिद्वस्त्रे सरलतरलो दृष्टिविभवः परिस्पन्दो नाचा-

मभिनवविलासोक्तिसरसः ॥ गतीनामारम्भः किसलयितली-

लापरिकरः स्पृशन्त्यास्तारुण्यं किमिह न हि रम्यं मृगदृशः ॥ २५ ॥

सन्मार्गे तावदास्ते प्रभवति पुरुषस्तावदेवेन्द्रियाणां लज्जा तावद्विधत्ते

विनयमपि समालम्बते तावदेव ॥ भ्रूचापाकृष्टमुक्ताः श्रवणपथगता

नीलपक्ष्माण एते यावल्लीलावतीनां न हृदि धृतिमृषो दृष्टिबाणाः पतन्ति ॥ २६ ॥

अच्छाद्रचन्दनरसार्द्रकरा मृगाक्ष्यो धारागृहाणि कुसुमानि च कौमुदी च ॥

मन्दो मरुत्सुमनसः शुचि हर्म्यपृष्ठं ग्रीष्मे मदं च मदनं च विवर्धयन्ति ॥ ३४ ॥

रागस्यागारमेकं नरकशतमहादुःखसंप्राप्तिहेतुर्मोहस्योत्पत्तिबीजं

जलधरपटलं ज्ञानताराधिपस्थ ॥ कन्दर्पस्यैकमित्रं प्रकटितविविध-

स्पष्टदोषप्रबन्धं लोकेऽस्मिन्नप्यनर्थव्रजकुसुमवनं यौवनादन्यदस्ति ॥ ५० ॥

वेद्यासौ मदनज्वाला रूपेन्धनसमेधिता ॥

कामिभिर्यत्र ह्यन्ते यौवनानि धनानि च ॥ ५४ ॥

जात्यन्धाय च दुर्मुखाय च जराजीर्णखिलझुषाय च धामीणाय च दु-
 ष्कुलाय च गलत्कुष्ठाभिभूताय च ॥ यच्छन्तीषु मनोहरं निजवपु-
 र्लक्ष्मीलवभ्रद्वया पण्यस्त्रीषु विवेककल्पलतिकाशस्त्रीषु रज्येत कः ॥ ५६ ॥
 प्रणयमधुराः प्रेमोद्गाढा रसादलसास्तथा भणितमधुरा मुग्ध-
 प्रायाः प्रकाशितसंमदाः ॥ प्रकृतिसुभगा विश्रम्भार्हाः स्म-
 रोदयदायिनो रहसि किमपि स्वैरालापा हरन्ति मृगीदृशाम् ॥ ६२ ॥
 नून हि ते कविवरा विपरीतबोधा ये नित्यमाहुरबला इति कामिनीनाम् ॥
 याभिर्विलोतरतारकदृष्टिपातैः शक्रादयोपि विजिता अबलाः कथं ताः ॥ ६५ ॥
 गुरुणा स्तनभारेण मुखचन्द्रेण भास्वता ॥ शनैश्चराभ्यां पादाभ्यां रेजे ग्रहमयीव सा
 ॥ ८१ ॥
 केशाः संयमिनः श्रुतेरपि परं पारं गते लोचने चान्तर्वेष्कमपि स्व-
 भावशुचिभिः कीर्णं द्विजानां गणैः ॥ मुक्तानां सतताधिवासरु-
 चिरं बक्षोजकुम्भद्वयं चेत्स्वं तन्वि वपुः प्रशान्तमपि ते क्षोभं करोत्येव नः ॥ ९१ ॥
 मधु तिष्ठति वाचि योषितां हृदि हालाहलमेव केवलम् ॥
 अतएव निपीयतेऽधरो हृदयं मुष्टिभिरेव ताञ्ज्यते ॥ ९७ ॥

We shall only give the first letters of the selected Stanzas from the Nitishataka and the Vairagyashataka, since the full readings of both are before the reader in our text. It need hardly be mentioned that the figures of the Stanzas are from our text.

नीतिशतक.

अज्ञः सुखमाराध्यः	॥ ३ ॥
व्यालं बालमृणालत०	॥ ६ ॥
यदा किञ्चिज्ज्ञोहं	॥ ८ ॥
वरं पर्वतदुर्गेषु	॥ १४ ॥
अम्भोजिबिम्बिन०	॥ १८ ॥
विद्या नाम नरस्य	॥ २० ॥
जाह्न्यं धियो हरति	॥ २३ ॥
प्राणावाताग्निवृत्तिः	॥ २६ ॥
प्रारभ्यते न खलु	॥ २७ ॥
जातिर्योतु रसातलं	॥ ३९ ॥
तानीन्द्रियाणि	॥ ४० ॥
यस्यास्ति वित्तं	॥ ४१ ॥

सत्यावृता च परुषा	॥ ४७ ॥
जाड्यं ञ्हीमति गण्यते	॥ ५४ ॥
मौनान्मूकः प्रवचन०	॥ ५८ ॥
संतप्तायसि संस्थितस्य	॥ ६७ ॥
एते सत्पुरुषाः परार्थ०	॥ ७४ ॥
तृष्णां छिन्धि भज	॥ ७७ ॥
रत्नैर्महाहैस्तुतुषुर्न	॥ ८० ॥
निन्दन्तु नीति०	॥ ८३ ॥
भग्नाशस्य करण्ड०	॥ ८४ ॥
स्थाल्यां वैदूर्यमय्यां	॥ १०० ॥

वैराग्यशतक.

बोद्धारो मत्स०	॥ २ ॥
उत्खातं निधि०	॥ ४ ॥
अवश्यं यातार०	॥ १६ ॥
न नटा न विटा न गा०	॥ २७ ॥
सा रम्या नगरी	॥ ३७ ॥
यत्रानेके कचिद०	॥ ३९ ॥
तपस्यन्तः सन्तः	॥ ४० ॥
महादेवो देवः	॥ ४३ ॥
वयमिह परितु०	॥ ५० ॥
विरमत बुधा यो०	॥ ६२ ॥
गङ्गातरङ्गहि०	॥ ७० ॥
मही रम्या शय्या	॥ ७९ ॥
रम्याश्चन्द्रम०	॥ ८५ ॥
यावत्स्वस्थमि०	॥ ८८ ॥
ज्ञानं सतां मान०	॥ ९० ॥
नायं ते समयो	॥ ९७ ॥
आयुर्वर्षशतं नृणां	॥ १०७ ॥
क्षणं बालो भूत्वा	॥ ११२ ॥

The foregoing selections are only a few of the many that an appreciative and critical reader can find in the Shatakas composed by Bhartrihari suited to the different epochs of life containing maxims perhaps from personal experience, but which, without doubt, fit many a one in this curious and complex phenomenon—the world.

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॥ श्रीगणेशाय नमः ॥

॥ अथ नीतिशतकम् ॥



दिक्कालाद्यनवच्छिन्नानन्तचिन्मात्रमूर्तये ॥

स्वानुभूत्येकमानाय* नमः शान्ताय तेजसे ॥ १ ॥

यां चिन्तयामि सततं मयि सा विरक्ता

साप्यन्यमिच्छति जनं स जनोऽन्यसक्तः ॥

5 अस्मत्कृते च परिशुष्यति* काचिदन्या

धिक् तां च तं च मदनं च इमां च मां च ॥ २ ॥

अङ्गः सुखमाराध्यः सुखतरमाराध्यते विशेषज्ञः ॥

ज्ञानलवदुर्विदग्धं ब्रह्मापि नरं* न रञ्जयति ॥ ३ ॥

प्रसह्य मणिमुद्धरेन्मकरवक्त्रदंष्ट्राङ्कुरा*-

10 त्समुद्रमपि संतरेत्प्रचलदूर्मिमालाकुलम् ॥

भुजङ्गमपि कोपितं शिरसि पुष्पवद्भारये-

न्न तु प्रतिनिविष्टमूर्खजनचित्तमाराधयेत् ॥ ४ ॥

लभेत सिकतासु तैलमपि यत्नतः पीडय-

न्निषेधे मृगतृष्णिकासु सलिलं पिपासार्दितः ॥

15 कदाचिदपि पर्यटञ्जशविषाणमासादये-

न्न तु प्रतिनिविष्टमूर्खजनचित्तमाराधयेत् ॥ ५ ॥

* A star in the text indicates the position of a variation in the reading.

1. 2 स्वानुभूत्येकसाराय; 1. 5 परितुष्यति; 1. 8 ब्रह्मापि तं नरं;

1. 9 दंष्ट्रान्तरात्.

- व्यालं बालमृणालतन्तुभिरसौ रोधुं समुज्जृम्भते
 *छेत्तुं घञ्जमणीञ्जिरीषकुसुमप्रान्तेन संनह्यते ॥
 माधुर्यं मधुबिन्दुना रचयितुं क्षाराम्बुधेरीहते ॥
 20 नेतुं वाञ्छति यः खलान्पथि सतां सूक्तैः सुधास्यन्दिभिः ॥ ६ ॥

स्वायत्तमेकान्तगुणं विधात्रा
 विनिर्मितं छादनमहतायाः ॥
 विशेषतः सर्वविदां समाजे
 विभूषणं मौनमपण्डितानाम् ॥ ७ ॥

- 25 यदा किञ्चिज्ज्ञोऽहं द्विप इव मदान्धः समभवं
 तदा सर्वज्ञोऽस्मीत्यभवदवलिसं मम मनः ॥
 यदा किञ्चित्किञ्चिद्बुधजनसकाशादवगतं
 तदा मूर्खोऽस्मीति ज्वर इव मदो मे व्यपगतः ॥ ८ ॥

- 30 कृमिकुलचितं लालाक्लिन्नं विगन्धि जुगुप्सितं
 निरुपमरसं *प्रीत्या खादन्नरास्थि निरामिषम् ॥
 सुरपतिमपि श्वा पार्श्वस्थं विलोक्य न शङ्कते
 न हि गणयति क्षुद्रो जन्तुः परिग्रहफल्गुताम् ॥ ९ ॥

- शिरः शर्वं स्वर्गात्पशुपतिशिरस्तः क्षितिधरं*
 महीध्रादुत्तुङ्गादवनिमवनेश्चापि जलधिम् ॥
 35 अधोऽधो गङ्गेयं* पदमुपगता स्तोकमथवा
 विवेकभ्रष्टानां भवति विनिपातः शतमुखः ॥ १० ॥

- शक्यो वारयितुं जलेन हुतभुक्छत्रेण सूर्यातपो
 नागेन्द्रो निशिताङ्कुशेन समदो दण्डेन गोगर्दभौ ॥
 व्याधिर्भेषजसंग्रहैश्च विविधैर्मन्त्रप्रयोगैर्विषं
 40 सर्वस्यौषधमस्ति शास्त्रविहितं मूर्खस्य नास्त्यौषधम् ॥ ११ ॥

साहित्यसङ्गीतकलाविहीनः
 साक्षात्पशुः पुच्छविषाणहीनः ॥

तृणं न खादन्नपि जीवमान-
स्तद्भागधेयं परमं पशूनाम् ॥ १२ ॥

45 येषां न विद्या न तपो न दानं
*ज्ञानं न शीलं न गुणो न धर्मः ॥
ते मर्त्यलोके भुवि भारभूता
मनुष्यरूपेण मृगाश्चरन्ति ॥ १३ ॥

वरं पर्वतदुर्गेषु भ्रान्तं वनचरैः सह
50 न मूर्खजनसंपर्कः सुरेन्द्रभवनेष्वपि ॥ १४ ॥

शास्त्रोपस्कृतशब्दसुन्दरगिरः शिष्यप्रदेयागमा
विख्याताः कवयो वसन्ति विषये यस्य प्रभोर्निर्धनाः ॥
तज्जाडयं वसुधाधिपस्य कवयो ह्यर्थं विनापीश्वराः
कुत्स्याः स्युः कुपरीक्षका न मणयो यैरर्घतः पातिताः ॥ १५ ॥

55 हर्तुर्याति न गोचरं किमपि शं पुष्पाति यत्सर्वदा
*हार्धिभ्यः प्रतिपाद्यमानमनिशं प्राप्नोति वृद्धिं पराम् ॥
कल्पान्तेष्वपि न प्रयाति निधनं विद्याख्यमन्तर्धनं
येषां तान्प्रति मानमुज्झत नृपाः कस्तैः सह स्पर्धते ॥ १६ ॥

अधिगतपरमार्थान्पण्डितान्मावमंस्था-
60 स्तृणमिव लघुलक्ष्मीनैव तान्संरुणाद्धि ॥
अभिनवप्रदलेखाश्यामगण्डस्थलानां
न भवति विसतन्तुर्वारणं वारणानाम् ॥ १७ ॥

अम्भोजिनीवननिवासविलासमेव
हंसस्य हन्ति नितरां कुपितो विधाता ॥
65 न त्वस्य दुग्धजलभेदविधौ प्रसिद्धां
वैदग्ध्यकीर्तिमपहर्तुमसौ समर्थः ॥ १८ ॥

केयूरा न विभूषयन्ति पुरुषं हारा न चन्द्रोज्ज्वला
न ज्ञानं न विलेपनं न कुसुमं नालंकृता मूर्धजाः ॥

70 घाण्येका समलंकरोति पुरुषं या संस्कृता धार्यते
क्षीयन्ते खलु भूषणानि सततं वाग्भूषणं भूषणम् ॥ १९ ॥

विद्या नाम नरस्य रूपमधिकं प्रच्छन्नगुप्तं धनं
विद्या भोगकरी यशःसुखकरी विद्या गुरुणां गुरुः ॥
विद्या बन्धुजनो विदेशगमने विद्या परं दैवतं*
विद्या राजसुपूजिता *न तु *धनं विद्याविहीनः पशुः ॥ २० ॥

75 क्षान्तिश्चेत्कवचेन* किं किमरिभिः क्रोधोस्ति चेद्देहिनां
ज्ञातिश्चेदनलेन किं यदि सुहृद्दिव्यौषधैः किं फलम् ॥
किं सपर्येयं दुर्जनाः किमु धनैर्विद्यानवद्या यदि
व्रीडा चेत्किमु भूषणैः सुकविता यद्यस्ति राज्येन किम् ॥ २१ ॥

दाक्षिण्यं स्वजने दया परजने *शाठ्यं सदा दुर्जने
80 प्रीतिः साधुजने नयो नृपजने विद्वज्जनेष्वार्जवम्* ॥
शौर्यं शत्रुजने क्षमा गुरुजने नारीजने धूर्तता
ये चैवं पुरुषाः कलासु कुशलास्तेष्वेव लोकस्थितिः ॥ २२ ॥

जाड्यं धियो हराति सिञ्चति वाचि सत्यं
मानोन्नतिं दिशति पापमपाकरोति ॥
85 चेतः प्रसादयति दिक्षु तनोति कीर्तिं
सत्संगतिः कथय किं न करोति पुंसाम् ॥ २३ ॥

जयन्ति ते सुकृतिनो रससिद्धाः कवीश्वराः ॥
नास्ति येषां यशःकाये जरामरणजं भयम् ॥ २४ ॥

सूनुः सञ्चरितः सती प्रियतमा स्वामी प्रसादोन्मुखः
90 स्निग्धं मित्रमवञ्चकः परिजनो निष्केशलेशं मनः ॥
आकारो रुचिरः स्थिरश्च विभवो विद्यावदातं मुखं
तुष्टे विष्टपकष्टहारिणि* हरौ संप्राप्यते देहिना ॥ २५ ॥

1. 73 परा देवता; 1.74 राजसु पूजिता, पूज्यते; न हि; 1.75 चेद्व-
चनेन; 1.79 परिजने; 1.80 प्यार्जवम्; 1.92 विष्टपहारिणीष्टद.

प्राणाघातान्निवृत्तिः परधनहरणे संयमः सत्यवाक्यं
 काले शक्त्या प्रदानं युवतिजनकथामूकभावः परेषाम् ॥
 95 तृष्णास्रोतोविमङ्गो गुरुषु च विनयः सर्वभूतानुकम्पा
 सामान्यः सर्वशास्त्रेष्वनुपहतविधिः * श्रेयसामेष पन्थाः ॥ २६ ॥

प्रारभ्यते न खलु विघ्नभयेन नीचैः
 प्रारभ्य विघ्नविहता विरमन्ति मध्याः ॥
 विघ्नैः पुनःपुनरपि प्रतिहन्यमानाः

100 * प्रारब्धमुत्तमजना न परित्यजन्ति ॥ २७ ॥

* असन्तो नाभ्यर्थ्याः सुहृदपि न याच्यः कृशधनः
 प्रिया न्याय्या वृत्तिर्मलिनमसुभङ्गेऽप्यसुकरम् ॥
 विपद्युच्चैः स्थेयं पदमनुविधेयं च महतां
 सतां केनोद्दिष्टं विषममसिधाराव्रतमिदम् ॥ २८ ॥

105 क्षुत्क्षामोपि जराकृशोपि * शिथिलप्रायोऽपि कष्टां दशा
 मापन्नोपि विपन्नदीधितिरपि प्राणेषु नश्यत्स्वपि ॥
 * मत्तेभेन्द्रविभिन्नकुम्भकवलग्रासैकबद्धस्पृहः
 किं जीर्णं तृणमस्ति मानमहतामग्रेसरः केसरी ॥ २९ ॥

* स्वल्पस्त्रायुवसावशेषमलिनं * निर्मोसमप्यस्थिकं
 110 श्वा लब्ध्वा परितोषमेति न तु तत्तस्य क्षुधाशान्तये ॥
 सिंहो जम्बुकमङ्गमागतमपि त्यक्त्वा निहन्ति द्विपं
 सर्वः कृच्छ्रगतोऽपि वाञ्छति जनः सत्त्वानुरूपं फलम् ॥ ३० ॥

लाङ्गूलचालनमधश्चरणावपातं
 भूमौ निपत्य वदनोदरदर्शनं च ॥

1. 96 अनुपहतगतिः; 1.100 प्रारभ्य चो; 1.101 In Mr. Telang's Edition the first line of this stanza is second with त्वसन्तो instead of असन्तो, and the second is first. 1.105 शिथिलप्राणोऽपि; 1.107 कुम्भपिशित; 1.109 स्वल्पम्; 1.109 प्यस्थि गोः;

- 115 श्वा पिण्डदस्य कुरुते गजपुङ्गवस्तु
धीरं विलोकयति चादुशतैश्च भुङ्क्ते ॥ ३१ ॥
- परिवर्तिनि संसारे मृतः को वा न जायते ॥
स जातो येन जातेन याति वंशः समुन्नतिम् ॥ ३२ ॥
- कुसुमस्तबकस्येव * द्वयी वृत्तिर्मनस्विनः ॥
- 120 मूर्ध्नि वा सर्वलोकस्य * शीर्यते घन एव वा ॥ ३३ ॥
- सन्त्यन्येपि बृहस्पतिप्रभृतयः संभाविताः पञ्चषा-
स्तान्प्रत्येष विशेषविक्रमरुची राहुर्न वैरायते
द्वावेव प्रसते दिनेश्वरनिशाप्राणेश्वरौ * भास्वरौ
* भ्रातः पर्वणि पश्य दानवपतिः * शीर्षावशेषीकृतः ॥ ३४ ॥
- 125 बहति भुवनश्रेणीं शेषः फणाफलकस्थितां
कमठपतिना मध्येपृष्ठं सदा स विधार्यते ॥
तमपि कुरुते क्रोडाधीनं पयोधिरनादरा-
दहह महतां निःसीमानश्चरित्रविभूतयः ॥ ३५ ॥
- वरं पक्षच्छेदः समदमघवन्मुक्तकुलिश-
130 प्रहारैरुद्रच्छद्महलदहनोद्गारगुरुभिः ॥
तुषाराद्रेः सूनोरहह पितरि क्लेशविवशे
न चासौ संपातः पयसि पयसां पत्युरुचितः ॥ ३६ ॥
- यदचेतनोपि पादैः स्पृष्टः प्रज्वलति सवितुरिनकान्तः ॥
तत्तेजस्वी पुरुषः * परकृतनिकृतिं कथं सहते ॥ ३७ ॥
- 135 सिंहः शिशुरपि निपतति मदमलिनकपोलभित्तिषु गजेषु ॥
प्रकृतिरियं सस्त्ववतां न खलु वयस्तेजसो हेतुः ॥ ३८ ॥
- जातिर्यातु रसातलं गुणगणस्तस्याप्यधो * गच्छतु
शीलं शैलतटात्पतत्वभिजनः संदह्यतां वह्निना ॥

1.119 द्वे गती स्तो मनस्विनाम्; 1.120 विशीर्येत वनेऽथवा; 1.123
भासुरौ; 1.124 भ्रान्तः; 1.124 शीर्षावशेषाकृतिः; 1.134 परकृतविकृतिः;
1.137 गच्छतात्, गच्छताम्;

- 140 शौर्ये वैरिणि वज्रमाशु निपतत्वर्थोस्तु नः केवलं
येनैकेन विना गुणास्तृणलवप्रायाः समस्ता इमे ॥ ३९ ॥
- तानीन्द्रियाणि सकलानि तदेव कर्म
सा बुद्धिरप्रतिहता वचनं तदेव ॥
अर्थोष्मणा विरहितः पुरुषः स एव
त्वन्यः क्षणेन भवतीति विचित्रमेतत् ॥ ४० ॥
- 145 यस्यास्ति वित्तं स नरः कुलीनः
स पण्डितः स श्रुतवान्गुणज्ञः ॥
स एव वक्ता स च दर्शनीयः
सर्वे गुणाः काञ्चनमाश्रयन्ति ॥ ४१ ॥
- 150 दौर्मन्त्र्याभृपतिर्विनश्यति यतिः सङ्गात्सुतो लालना-
द्विप्रो नध्ययनात्कुलं कुतनयाच्छीलं खलोपासनात् ॥
हीर्मघादनवेक्षणादपि कृषिः स्नेहः प्रवासाश्रया-
न्मैत्री * चाप्रणयात्समृद्धिरनयास्यागप्रमादाद्धनम् ॥ ४२ ॥
- दानं भोगो नाशस्तिष्ठो गतयो भवन्ति वित्तस्य ॥
यो न ददाति न भुङ्क्ते तस्य तृतीया गतिर्भवति ॥ ४३ ॥
- 155 मणिः शाणोल्लीढः समरविजयी * हेतिनिहतो
मदक्षीणो नागः शरदि सरितः श्यानपुलिनाः ॥
कलाशेषश्चन्द्रः सुरतमृदिता बालवनिता
तनिम्ना शोभन्ते गलितविभवाश्चार्थिषु * जनाः ॥ ४४ ॥
- 160 परिक्षीणः कश्चित्सृष्टयति यवानां प्रसृतये
स पश्चात्संपूर्णः कलयति धरित्रीं तृणसमाम् ॥
* अतश्चानैकान्त्याद्रुलघुतयार्येषु धनिना-
मवस्था वस्तूनि प्रथयति च संकोचयति च ॥ ४५ ॥

- राजन्दुधुक्षसि यदि क्षितिधेनुमेतां
तेनाद्य वत्समिव लोकममुं पुषाण ॥
165 तस्मिंश्च सम्यगनिशं परिपोष्यमाणे
नानाफलैः फलति कल्पलतेव भूमिः ॥ ४६ ॥
- सत्यानृता च परुषा प्रियवादिनी च
हिंसा दयालुरपि चार्थपरा वदान्या ॥
170 नित्यव्यया प्रचुरनित्यधनागमा च
वेद्याङ्गनेव नृपनीतिरनेकरूपा ॥ ४७ ॥
- आज्ञा कीर्तिः पालनं * ब्राह्मणानां
दानं भोगो मित्रसंरक्षणं च ॥
येषामेते षड्गुणा न प्रवृत्ताः
कोर्थस्तेषां पार्थिवोपाश्रयेण ॥ ४८ ॥
- 175 यद्धात्रा निजभालपट्टलिखितं स्तोकं महद्वा धनं
तत्प्राप्नोति मरुस्थलेऽपि नितरां मेरौ ततो नाधिकम् ॥
तद्धीरो भव वित्तवत्सु कृपणां वृत्तिं वृथा मा कृथाः
कूपे पश्य पयोनिधावपि घटो गृह्णाति तुल्यं जलम् ॥ ४९ ॥
- त्वमेव * चातकाधार इति केषां न गोचरः ॥
180 किमम्भोदचरास्माकं * कार्पण्योक्तिं प्रतीक्षसे ॥ ५० ॥
- रे रे चातक सावधानमनसा मित्र क्षणं श्रूयता-
मम्भोदा बहवो हि सन्ति गगने सर्वेऽपि नैतादृशाः ॥
केचिद्वृष्टिभिरार्द्रयन्ति वसुधां गर्जन्ति केचिद्वृथा
यं यं पश्यसि तस्य तस्य पुरतो मा ब्रूहि दीनं वचः ॥ ५१ ॥
- 185 अकरुणत्वमकारणविग्रहः
परधने परयोषिति च स्पृहा ॥

सुजनबन्धुजनेष्वसहिष्णुता

प्रकृतिसिद्धमिदं हि दुरात्मनाम् ॥ ५२ ॥ ५१७

दुर्जनः परिहर्तव्यो विद्यया * भूषितोऽपि सन् ॥

190 * मणिनाऽलंकृतः सर्पः किमसौ न भयंकरः ॥ ५३ ॥

जाड्यं ह्रीमति गण्यते व्रतरुचौ दम्भः शुचौ कैतवं

शूरे निर्घृणता * मुनौ विमतिता दैन्यं प्रियालापिनि ॥

तेजस्विन्यबलिमता मुखरता वक्तव्यशक्तिः स्थिरे

तत्को नाम गुणो * भवेत्स गुणिनां यो दुर्जनैर्नाङ्कितः ॥ ५४ ॥

195 लोभश्चेदगुणेन किं पिशुनता यद्यस्ति किं पातकैः

सत्यं चेत्तपसा च किं शुचि मनो यद्यस्ति तीर्थेन किम् ॥

सौजन्यं यदि किं * निजैः स्वमहिमा यद्यस्ति किं मण्डनैः

सद्विद्या यदि किं * धनैरपयशो यद्यस्ति किं मृत्युना ॥ ५५ ॥

शशी दिवसधूसरो गलितयौवना कामिनी

200 सरो विगतवारिजं मुखमनक्षरं स्वाकृतेः ॥

प्रभुर्धनपरायणः सततदुर्गतः सज्जनो

* नृपाङ्गनगतः खलो मनसि सप्त शल्यानि मे ॥ ५६ ॥

न कश्चिच्छण्डकोपानामात्मीयो नाम भूभुजाम् ॥

* होतारमपि जुह्वानं स्पृष्टो दहति पावकः ॥ ५७ ॥

205 मौनान्मूकः प्रवचनपटुश्चाटुलो जल्पको वा

धृष्टः पार्श्वे वसति च तदा दूरतश्चाप्रगल्भः ॥

क्षान्त्या भीरुर्यदि न सहते प्रायशो नाभिजातः

सेवाधर्मः परमगहनो योगिनामप्यगम्यः ॥ ५८ ॥

उद्भासिताखिलखलस्य विशृङ्खलस्य

210 * प्राग्जातविस्मृतनिजाधमकर्मवृत्तेः ॥

1.189 ऽलंकृतोऽपि; 1.190 मणिना भूषितः; 1.192 ऋजौ; 1.194 भवे-
त्सुगुणिनाम्; 1.197 गुणैः; 1.198 जनैः; 1.202 नृपाङ्गनगतः; 1.204 होतारं
जुह्वतमपि; 1.210 प्राग्जातविस्मृत.

दैवादवासविभवस्य गुणद्विषोऽस्य

नीचस्य गोचरगतैः * सुखमाप्स्यते कैः ॥ ५९ ॥

आरम्भगुर्वी क्षयिणी क्रमेण

लघ्वी पुरा वृद्धिमती च पश्चात् ॥

215 दिनस्य पूर्वार्धपरार्धभिन्ना

छायेव मैत्री खलसञ्जनानाम् ॥ ६० ॥

मृगमीनसञ्जनानां तृणजलसंतोषविहितवृत्तीनाम् ॥

लुब्धकधीवरपिशुना निष्कारणवैरिणो जगति ॥ ६१ ॥

वाञ्छा सज्जनसङ्गमे परगुणे प्रीतिर्गुरौ नम्रता

220 विद्यायां व्यसनं स्वयोषिति रतिर्लोकापवादाङ्गयम् ॥

भक्तिः शूलिनि शक्तिरात्मदमने संसर्गमुक्तिः खले

* येष्वेते निवसन्ति निर्मलगुणास्तेभ्यो नरेभ्यो नमः ॥ ६२ ॥

विपदि धैर्यमथाभ्युदये क्षमा

सदसि वाक्पटुता युधि विक्रमः ॥

225 यशसि * चाभिरतिर्व्यसनं * श्रुतौ

प्रकृतिसिद्धमिदं हि महात्मनाम् ॥ ६३ ॥

प्रदानं प्रच्छन्नं गृहमुपगते संभ्रमविधिः

प्रियं कृत्वा मौनं सदसि कथनं * चाप्युपकृतेः ॥

अनुत्सेको लक्ष्म्यां निरभिभवसाराः परकथाः

230 सतां केनोद्दिष्टं विषममसिधाराव्रतमिदम् ॥ ६४ ॥

करे श्लाघ्यस्त्यागः शिरसि गुरुपादप्रणयिता

मुखे सत्या वाणी विजयिभुजयोर्वीर्यमतुलम् ॥

हृदि * स्वच्छा वृत्तिः श्रुतमधिगतं च श्रवणयो-

धिनाप्यैश्वर्येण प्रकृतिमहतां मण्डनमिदम् ॥ ६५ ॥

1.212 सुखमाप्स्यते; 1.222 ष्वेते येषु वसन्ति; 1.225 चाभिरुचि;
1.225 श्रुते; 1.228 नाप्युपकृते; ; 1.233 स्वस्था.

235 संपत्सु महतां चित्तं भवत्युत्पलकोमलम् ॥
आपत्सु च महाशैलशिलासंघातकर्कशम् ॥ ६६ ॥

संतप्तायसि संस्थितस्य पयसो नामापि न * ध्रूयते
मुक्ताकारतया तदेव नलिनीपत्रस्थितं राजते ॥
स्वात्यां सागरशुक्तिमध्यपतितं * सन्मौक्तिकं जायते

240 प्रायेणाधममध्यमोत्तमगुणः * संसर्गतो जायते ॥ ६७ ॥

* प्रीणाति यः सुचरितैः पितरं स पुत्रो
यद्भर्तुरेव हितमिच्छति तत्कलत्रम् ॥
तन्मित्रमापदि सुखे च समक्रियं य-
देतन्नयं जगति पुण्यकृतो लभन्ते ॥ ६८ ॥

245 नम्रत्वेनोन्नमन्तः परगुणकथनैः स्वान्गुणान्स्थापयन्तः
स्वार्थान्संपादयन्तो विततपृथुतरारम्भयन्ताः परार्थे ॥
क्षान्त्यैवाक्षेपरूक्षाक्षरमुखरमुखान्दुर्मुखान्दूषयन्तः
सन्तः साश्चर्यचर्या जगति बहुमताः कस्य नाभ्यर्चनीयाः ॥ ६९ ॥

भवन्ति नम्रास्तरवः फलोद्गमै-
250 * नवाम्बुभिर्भूमिविलम्बिनो घनाः ॥
अनुद्धताः सत्पुरुषाः समृद्धिभिः
स्वभाव एवैष परोपकारिणाम् ॥ ७० ॥

ध्रोत्रं श्रुतेनैव न कुण्डलेन
दानेन पाणिर्न तु कङ्कुणेन ॥
255 विभाति कायः करुणापराणां
परोपकारैर्न तु चन्दनेन ॥ ७१ ॥

पापाभिवारयति योजयते हिताय
गुह्यं च गूहति गुणान्प्रकटो करोति ॥

260 आपद्गतं च न जहाति ददाति काले
सन्मित्रलक्षणमिदं प्रघदन्ति सन्तः ॥ ७२ ॥

पद्माकरं दिनकरो विकचीकरोति
चन्द्रो * विकासयति कैरवचक्रवालम् ॥
नाभ्यर्थितो जलधरोऽपि जलं ददाति
सन्तः स्वयं परहितेषु कृताभियोगाः ॥ ७३ ॥

265 * एते सत्पुरुषाः परार्थघटकाः स्वार्थं परित्यज्य ये
सामान्यास्तु परार्थमुद्यमभृतः स्वार्थाविरोधेन ये ॥
तेऽर्मा मानुषराक्षसाः परहितं स्वार्थाय निघ्नन्ति ये
* ये तु घ्नन्ति निरर्थकं परहितं ते के न जानीमहे ॥ ७४ ॥

270 क्षीरेणात्मगतोदकाय हि गुणा दत्ताः पुरा तेऽखिलाः
क्षीरे तापमवेक्ष्य तेन पयसा * स्वात्मा कृशानौ हुतः ॥
गन्तुं पावकमुन्मनस्तदभवद्दृष्ट्वा तु मित्रापदं
युक्तं तेन जलेन शाम्यति सतां मैत्री पुनस्त्वीकृशी ॥ ७५ ॥

हुतः स्वपिति केशवः कुलमितस्तदीयद्विषा-
मितश्च * शरणार्थिनः शिखरिणां गणाः शेरते ॥
275 हुतोऽपि वडवानलः सह समस्तसंवर्तकै-
रहो विततमूर्जितं भरसहं च सिन्धोर्वपुः ॥ ७६ ॥

तृष्णां छिन्धि भज क्षमां जहि मदं पापे रतिं मा कृथाः
सत्यं ब्रह्मनुयाहि साधुपदवीं सेवस्व विद्वज्जनम् ॥
280 सामान्यान्मानय विद्विषोऽप्यनुनय प्रच्छादय स्वान्गुणा-
न्कीर्तिं पालय दुःखिते कुरु दयामेतत्सतां * चेष्टितम् ॥ ७७ ॥

मनसि वचसि काये पुण्यपीयूषपूर्णा-
स्त्रिभुवन्मुपकारश्रेणिभिः * प्रीणयन्तः ॥

1.262 विकाशयति; 1.265 एके; 1.268 ये निघ्नन्ति; 1.270 आत्मा;

1.274 शरणार्थिनाम्; 1.280 लक्षणम्; 1.282 पूरयन्तः.

परगुणपरमाणून्पर्वतीकृत्य नित्यं

निजहृदि विकसन्तः सन्ति सन्तः कियन्तः ॥ ७८ ॥

285 किं तेन हेमगिरिणा रजताद्रिणा वा
यत्राश्रिताश्च तरवस्तरवस्त एव ॥

मन्यामहे मलयमेव यदाश्रयेण

कङ्कोलनिम्बकुटजा * अपि * चन्दनाः स्युः ॥ ७९ ॥

रत्नैर्महाहैस्तुतुषुर्न देवा

290 न भेजिरे भीमविषेण भीतिम् ॥

सुधां विना न प्रययुर्विरामं

न निश्चितार्थाद्विरमन्ति धीराः ॥ ८० ॥

कचिद्भूमौ * शायी कचिदपि च * पर्यङ्कशयनः

कचिच्छाकाहारी कचिदपि च शाल्योदनरुचिः ॥

295 कचित्कन्थाधारी कचिदपि च दिव्याम्बरधरो

मनस्वी कार्यार्थी * गणयति न दुःखं न च सुखम् ॥ ८१ ॥

ऐश्वर्यस्य विभूषणं सुजनता शौर्यस्य वाक्संयमो

ज्ञानस्योपशमः श्रुतस्य विनयो वित्तस्य पात्रे व्ययः ॥

अक्रोधस्तपसः क्षमा प्रभवितुर्धर्मस्य निर्व्याजता

300 सर्वेषामपि सर्वकारणमिदं शीलं परं भूषणम् ॥ ८२ ॥

निन्दन्तु नीतिनिपुणा यदि वा स्तुवन्तु

लक्ष्मीः समाविशतु गच्छतु वा यथेष्टम् ॥

अद्यैव वा मरणमस्तु युगान्तरे वा

न्याय्यात्पथः प्रविचलन्ति पदं न धीराः ॥ ८३ ॥

305 भग्नाशस्य * करण्डपीडिततनोर्म्लानेन्द्रियस्य क्षुधा

कृत्वाखुर्विवरं स्वयं निपतितो नक्तं मुखे भोगिनः ॥

नृप्तस्तत्पिशितेन सत्वरमसौ तेनैव यातः पथा
लोकाः पश्यत दैवमेव हि नृणां वृद्धौ क्षये कारणम् ॥ ८४ ॥

310 पातितोपि कराघातैरुत्पतत्येव कन्दुकः ॥
प्रायेण साधुवृत्तानामस्थायिन्यो विपत्तयः ॥ ८५ ॥

आलस्यं हि मनुष्याणां शरीरस्थो * महान्निपुः ॥
नास्त्युद्यमसमो बन्धुः * कृत्वा यं नावसीदति ॥ ८६ ॥

छिन्नोपि रोहति तदः क्षीणोप्युपचीयते पुनश्चन्द्रः ॥
इति विमृशन्तः सन्तः संतप्यन्ते * न ते विपदा ॥ ८७ ॥

315 नेता यस्य बृहस्पतिः प्रहरणं वज्रं सुराः सैनिकाः
स्वर्गो दुर्गमनुग्रहः किल हरेरैरावतो वारणः ॥
* इत्यैश्वर्यबलान्वितोपि बलमिन्द्रमः परैः संगरे
तद्यत्नं वरमेव दैवशरणं धिग्धिग्वृथा पौरुषम् ॥ ८८ ॥

320 कर्मायत्तं फलं पुंसां बुद्धिः कर्मानुसारिणी ॥
तथापि सुधिया भाग्यं सुविचार्यैव कुर्वता ॥ ८९ ॥

खल्वाटो दिवसेश्वरस्य किरणैः संतापितो मस्तके
वाञ्छन्देशमनातपं विधिवशात्तालस्य मूलं गतः ॥
तत्राप्यस्य महाफलेन पतता भग्नं सशब्दं शिरः
प्रायो गच्छति यत्र भाग्यरहितस्तत्रैव यान्त्यापदः ॥ ९० ॥

325 * शशिदिवाकरयोर्ग्रहपीडनं
गजभुजंगमयोरपि बन्धनम् ॥
मतिमतां च विलोक्य दरिद्रतां
विधिरहो बलवानिति मे मतिः ॥ ९१ ॥

1.311 महानिपुः 1.312 कुर्वाणो नावसीदति 1.314 न विप्लुता लोके;
1.317 इत्याश्चर्यं; 1.325 This line changes place with the
second.

- सृजति तावदशेषगुणाकरं
 330 पुरुषरत्नमलंकरणं भुषः ॥
 तदपि तत्क्षणभङ्गि करोति चे-
 दहह कष्टमपण्डितता विधेः ॥ ९२ ॥
- पत्रं नैव यदा करीरविटपे दोषो वसन्तस्य किं
 नोलूकोप्यवलोकते यदि दिवा सूर्यस्य किं दूषणम् ॥
 335 धारा नैव पतन्ति चातकमुखे मेघस्य किं दूषणं
 यत्पूर्वं विधिना ललाटलिखितं तन्मार्जितुं कः क्षमः ॥ ९३ ॥
- नमस्यामो देवान्ननु हतविधेस्तेपि वशगा
 विधिर्वन्धः सोऽपि प्रतिनियतकर्मैकफलदः ॥
 फलं कर्मायत्तं * किममरगणैः किं च विधिना
 340 नमस्तत्कर्मभ्यो विधिरपि न येभ्यः प्रभवति ॥ ९४ ॥
- ब्रह्मा येन कुलालवन्नियमितो ब्रह्माण्डभाण्डोदरे
 विष्णुर्येन दशावतारगहने क्षिप्तो महासंकटे ॥
 रुद्रो येन कपालपाणिपुटके भिक्षाटनं कारितः
 सूर्यो भ्राम्यति नित्यमेव गगने तस्मै नमः कर्मणे ॥ ९५ ॥
- 345 नैवाकृतिः फलति नैव कुलं न शीलं
 विद्यापि नैव न च यत्नकृतापि सेवा ॥
 भाग्यानि पूर्वतपसा खलु संचितानि
 काले फलन्ति पुरुषस्य यथैव घृक्षाः ॥ ९६ ॥
- वने रणे शत्रुजलाग्निमध्ये
 350 महार्णवे पर्वतमस्तके वा ॥
 सुप्तं प्रमत्तं विषमस्थितं वा
 रक्षन्ति पुण्यानि पुरा कृतानि ॥ ९७ ॥
- या साधूंश्च खलान्करोति विदुषो मूर्खान्हितान्द्वेषिणः
 प्रत्यक्षं कुरुते परोक्षममृतं हालाहलं तत्क्षणात् ॥

355 तामाराधय सत्क्रियां भगवतीं भोक्तुं फलं वाञ्छितं
हे साधो व्यसनैर्गुणेषु विपुलेष्वास्थां वृथा मा कृथाः॥९८॥

गुणवद्गुणवद्वा कुर्वता * कार्यमादौ
परिणतिरवधार्या यत्नतः पण्डितेन ।
अतिरभसकृतानां कर्मणामविपत्ते-

360 भवति हृदयदाही शल्यतुल्यो विपाकः ॥ ९९ ॥

स्थाल्यां * वैदूर्यमय्यां पचति तिलखलीमिन्धनैश्चन्दनाद्यैः
सौवर्णैर्लाङ्गलाग्रैर्विलिखति वसुधामर्कमूलस्य हेतोः ॥
छित्वा कर्पूरखण्डान्वृतिमिह कुरुते कोद्रवाणां समन्ता-
त्प्राप्येमां कर्मभूमिं न चरति मनुजो यस्तपो मन्दभाग्यः॥१००॥

365 मज्जत्वम्भसि यातु मेरुशिखरं शत्रूञ्जयत्वाहवे
वाणिज्यं कृषिसेवनादि सकला विद्याः कलाः * शिक्षताम् ॥
आकाशं विपुलं प्रयातु खगवत्कृत्वा प्रयत्नं पुरं
नाभाव्यं भवतीह भाग्यवशतो भाव्यस्य नाशः कुतः ॥१०१॥

भीमं वनं भवति तस्य परं प्रधानं
370 सर्वो जनः सुजनतामुपयाति तस्य ॥
कृत्स्ना च भूर्भवति सन्निधिरत्नपूर्णा
यस्यास्ति पूर्वसुकृतं विपुलं नरस्य ॥ १०२ ॥

को लाभो गुणिसंगमः किमसुखं प्राप्तेतरैः संगतिः
का हानिः समयच्युतिर्निपुणता का धर्मतत्त्वे रतिः ॥
375 कः शूरो विजितेन्द्रियः प्रियतमा कानुव्रता किं धनं
विद्या किं सुखमप्रवासगमनं राज्यं किमाश्वाफलम् ॥१०३॥

मालतीकुसुमस्येव द्वे गती ह मनस्विनः ॥
मूर्ध्नि वा सर्वलोकस्य शीर्यते वन एव वा ॥ १०४ ॥

अप्रियवचनदरिद्रैः प्रियवचनाढ्यैः स्वदारपरितुष्टैः ॥
380 परपरिवादनिवृत्तैः क्वचित्क्वचिन्मण्डिता वसुधा ॥ १०५ ॥

कदर्थितस्यापि हि धैर्यवृत्ते-
 न शक्यते धैर्यगुणः प्रमार्ष्टुम् ॥
 अधोमुखस्यापि *तनूनपातो
 नाधः शिखा याति कदाचिदेव ॥ १०६ ॥

385 कान्ताकटाक्षविशिखा न * लुनन्ति यस्य
 चित्तं न निर्दहति कोपकृशानुतापः ॥
 कर्षन्ति भूरिविषयाश्च न लोभपाशै-
 ल्लोकत्रयं जयति कृत्स्नमिदं स धीरः ॥ १०७ ॥

एकेनापि हि शूरेण पादाक्रान्तं महीतलम् ॥
 390 क्रियते भास्करेणैव स्फारस्फुरिततेजसा ॥ १०८ ॥

वह्निस्तस्य जलायते जलनिधिः कुल्यायते तत्क्षणा-
 न्मेरुः स्वल्पशिलायते मृगपतिः सद्यः कुरङ्गायते ॥
 व्यालो माल्यगुणायते विषरसः पीयूषवर्षायते
 यस्याङ्गेऽखिललोकवल्लभतमं शीलं समुन्मीलति ॥ १०९ ॥

395 * लज्जागुणौघजननीं जननीमिव स्वा-
 यत्यन्तशुद्धहृदयामनुवर्तमानाम्* ॥
 तेजस्विनः सुखमसूनपि संत्यजन्ति
 सत्यव्रतव्यसनिनो न पुनः प्रतिज्ञाम् ॥ ११० ॥

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अग्राही हृदयं यथैव वदनं * यदर्पणान्तर्गतं
 400 भावः पर्वतसूक्ष्ममार्गविषमः स्त्रीणां न विज्ञायते ॥
 चित्तं पुष्करपत्रतोयतरलं विद्वद्भिराशंसितं
 नारी नाम विषाङ्कुरैरिव लता दोषैः समं वर्धिता ॥ १ ॥

1.383 कृतस्य बन्धेः 1.385 खनन्ति; 1.395 लज्जाम्; 1.396 अनु-
 वर्तमानाः 1.399 सदर्पणान्तर्गतम्.

अभिमुखनिहतस्य सतस्तिष्ठतु तावज्जयोऽथवा स्वर्गः॥
उभयबलसाधुवादः श्रवणसुखोऽसौ बतात्यर्थम् ॥ २ ॥

405 इयत्येतस्मिन्वा निरवधिचमत्कृत्यतिशये
वराहो वा राहुः प्रभवति चमत्कारविषयः ॥
महीमेको मग्नां यदयमवहन्तसलिलैः
शिरःशेषः शत्रुर्निगलति परं संत्यजति च ॥ ३ ॥

410 उदन्वच्छन्ना भूः स च निधिरपां योजनशतं
सदा पान्थः पूषा गगनपरिमाणं कलयति ॥
इति प्रायो भावाः स्फुरदवधिमुद्रामुकुलिताः
सतां प्रज्ञोन्मेषः पुनरयमसीमा विजयते ॥ ४ ॥

एको देवः केशवो वा शिवो वा
एकं मित्रं भूपतिर्वा यतिर्वा ॥
415 एको वासः पत्तने वा वने वा
एका भार्या सुन्दरी वा दरी वा ॥ ५ ॥

कमठकुलाचलदिग्गजफणिपतिविधृतापि चलति वसुधेयम् ॥
प्रतिपन्नममलमनसां न फ(च?)लति पुंसां युगान्तेऽपि ॥ ६ ॥

किं कूर्मस्य भवत्यथा न वपुषि क्ष्मां न क्षिपत्येष य-
420 किं वा नास्ति परिश्रमो दिनपतेरास्ते न यन्निश्चलः ॥
* किंत्वङ्गीकृतमुत्सृजन् * स्वमनसा श्लाघ्यो जनो लज्जते
निर्वाहः प्रतिपन्नवस्तुषु सतामेतद्धि गोत्रव्रतम् ॥ ७ ॥

को न याति वशं लोके मुखे पिण्डेन पूरितः
मृदङ्गो मुखलेपेन करोति मधुरध्वनिम् ॥ ८ ॥

425 धुद्राः सन्ति सहस्रशः स्वभरणव्यापारमात्रोद्यताः
स्वार्थो यस्य परार्थ एव * स पुमानेकः सतामग्रणीः ॥

* दुष्पूरोदरपूरणाय पिबति स्रोतः पतिं वाडधो
जीमूतस्तु निदाघसंभृतजगत्संतापविच्छिन्नये ॥ ९ ॥

430 दूरादर्थं घटयति नवं दूरतश्चापशब्दं
त्यक्त्वा भूयो भवति निरतः सत्सभारज्जनेषु ॥
मन्दमन्दं रचयति पदं लोकचित्तानुवृत्त्या
कामं मन्त्री कविरिव सदा खेदभारैरमुक्तः ॥ १० ॥

दैवेन प्रभुणा स्वयं जगति यद्यस्य प्रमाणीकृतं
तत्तस्योपनमेन्मनागपि महाभैवाश्रयः कारणम् ॥
435 सर्वाशापरिपूरके जलधरे * वर्षत्यपि प्रत्यहं
सूक्ष्मा एव पतन्ति चातकमुखे द्वित्राः पयोबिन्दवः ॥ ११ ॥

परिचरितव्याः सन्तो यद्यपि कथयन्ति न सदुपदेशम् ॥
यास्त्वेषां स्वैरकथास्ता एव भवन्ति शास्त्राणि ॥ १२ ॥

प्रायः * कन्दुकपातेन पतत्यार्यः पतन्नपि ॥
440 तथा त्वनार्यः पतति मृत्पिण्डपतनं यथा ॥ १३ ॥

यदि नाम दैवगत्या जगदसरोजं कदाचिदपि जातम् ॥
अवकरनिकरं विकिरति तर्त्तिकं कृकवाकुरिव हंसः ॥ १४ ॥

यन्नागा * मदवारिभिन्नकरटास्तिष्ठन्ति निद्रालसा
द्वारे हेमविभूषणाश्च तुरगा बलान्ति यद्वर्षिताः ॥
445 घीणावेणुमृदङ्गशङ्खपटहैः सुप्तस्तु यद्वोद्धयते
तत्सर्वं सुरलोकदेवसदृशं धर्मस्य विस्फूर्जितम् ॥ १५ ॥

ये * संतोषनिरन्तरप्रमुदितास्तेषां न भिन्ना मुदो
ये त्वन्ये धनलोभसंकुलधियस्तेषां न तृष्णा हता ॥
इत्थं कस्य कृते कृतः स विधिना तावृक्पदं संपदां
450 स्वात्मन्येव समाप्तहेममहिमा मेरुर्न मे रोचते ॥ १६ ॥

रक्तत्वं कमलानां सत्पुरुषाणां परोपकारित्वम् ॥

असतां च निर्दयत्वं स्वभावसिद्धं त्रिषु त्रितयम् ॥ १७ ॥

यच्चो हि सत्यं परमं विभूषणं

गङ्गाङ्गनायाः कृशता * कटौ च ॥

455 द्विजस्य विद्यैव पुनस्तथा क्षमा

शीलं हि सर्वस्य नरस्य भूषणम् ॥ १८ ॥

घरं तुङ्गाच्छृङ्गाद्रुशिखरिणः कापि * विषमे

पतित्वायं कायः कठिनवृषदन्तर्विदलितः ॥

460 घरं न्यस्तो हस्तः फणिपतिमुखे तीव्रदशने

घरं वह्नौ पातस्तदपि न कृतः शीलविलयः ॥ १९ ॥

चिरम विरसायासादस्मादुरध्यवसायतो

विपदि महतां धैर्यध्वंसं यदीक्षितुमीहसे ॥

* अयि जडमते कल्पापाये व्यपेतनिजक्रमाः

465 कुलशिखरिणः क्षुद्रा नैते न वा जलराशयः ॥ २० ॥

स्पृहयति भुजयोरन्तरमायतकरवालकररुहविदीर्णम् ॥

विजयश्रीर्घीराणां व्युत्पन्नप्रौढवनितेव ॥ २१ ॥

अयममृतनिधानं नायकोऽप्योषधीनां

शतभिषगनुयातः शम्भुमूर्ध्नोऽवतंसः ॥

470 चिरहयति न चैनं राजयक्ष्मा शशाङ्कं

हतविधिपरिपाकः केन वा लङ्घनीयः ॥ २२ ॥

शुभ्रं सप्त सविभ्रमा युवतयः श्वेतातपत्रोज्ज्वला

लक्ष्मीरित्यनुभूयते चिरमनुस्यूते शुभे कर्मणि ॥

विच्छिन्ने नितरामनङ्गकलहक्रीडाश्रुत्तन्तुकं

475 मुक्ताजालमिव प्रयाति श्लथिते भ्रश्यदिशोदृश्यताम् ॥ २३ ॥

॥ श्रीगणेशाय नमः ॥

॥ अथ वैराग्यशतकम् ॥

विकलाद्यनवच्छिन्नानन्तचिन्मात्रमूर्तये ॥

स्वानुभूत्येकमानाय नमः शान्ताय तेजसे ॥ १ ॥

बोद्धारो भत्सरग्रस्ताः प्रभवः स्मयदूषिताः ॥

अबोधोपहताश्चान्ये जीर्णमङ्गे सुभाषितम् ॥ २ ॥

5 न संसारोत्पन्नं चरितमनुपश्यामि कुशलं

विपाकः पुण्यानां जनयति भयं मे विमृशतः ॥

महद्भिः * पुण्यौघैश्चिरपरिगृहीता हि विषया

महान्तो जायन्ते व्यसनमिव दातुं विषयिणाम् ॥ ३ ॥

उत्खातं निधिशङ्कया क्षितितलं ध्याता गिरेर्धातवो

10 निस्तीर्णः सरितां पतिर्नृपतयो यत्नेन संतोषिताः ॥

मन्त्राराधनतत्परेण मनसा नीताः श्मशाने निशाः

* प्राप्तः काणवराटकोऽपि न मया * तृष्णेऽधुना मुञ्च माम् ॥ ४ ॥

* भ्रान्तं देशमनेकदुर्गविषमं प्राप्तं न किञ्चित्फलं

त्यक्त्वा जातिकुलाभिमानमुचितं सेवा कृता निष्फला ॥

15 भुक्तं मानविर्वर्जितं परगृहेष्वाशङ्कया काकव-

चृष्णे * जृम्भसि पापकर्मनिरते नाद्यापि संतुष्यसि ॥ ५ ॥

* A star in the text indicates the position of a variation in the reading.

1. 7 पुण्यौघैश्चिरपरिगृहीताश्च, पुण्यौघैश्चिरमपि गृहीताश्च; 1. 12 संप्राप्तश्च वराटकोपि; 1. 12 तृष्णे सकामा भव; 1. 13 भ्रान्त्वा; 1. 16 जृम्भिणि, वै-
रिणि.

कलोल्लापाः सोढाः कथमपि तदाराधनपरै-
निगृह्यान्तर्वाष्पं हसितमपि शून्येन मनसा ॥

20 कृतश्चित्तस्तम्भः * प्रतिहतधियामञ्जलिरपि
त्वमाशे मोघाशे * किमु परमतो नर्तयसि माम् ॥ ६ ॥

आदित्यस्य गतागतैरहरहः संक्षीयते जीवितं
व्यापारैर्बहुकार्यभारगुरुभिः कालो * न विज्ञायते ॥
वृष्टा जन्मजराविपत्तिमरणं त्रासश्च नोत्पद्यते
पीत्वा मोहमयीं प्रमादमदिरामुन्मत्तभूतं जगत् ॥ ७ ॥

25 दीना दीनमुखैः सदैव शिशुकैराकृष्टजीर्णाम्बरा
क्रोशद्भिः * क्षुधितैर्नरैर्न विधुरा दृश्येत चेद्देहिनी ॥
याच्चाभङ्गभयेन * गद्गदगलत्पुट्यद्विलीनाक्षरं
को देहीति षदेत्स्वदग्धजठरस्यार्थे मनस्वी जनः ॥ ८ ॥

निवृत्ता भोगेच्छा पुरुषबहुमानो * विगलितः
30 समानाः स्वर्याताः सपदि सुदृढो जीवितसमाः ॥
* शनैर्यष्ट्युत्थानं घनतिमिररुद्धे च नयने
अहो * धृष्टः कायस्तदपि मरणापायचकितः ॥ ९ ॥

हिंसाशून्यमयत्नलभ्यमशनं धात्रा भरुत्कल्पितं
व्यालानां पशवस्तृणाङ्कुरभुजः सृष्टाः स्थलीशायिनः ॥

35 संसारार्णवलङ्घनक्षमधियां वृत्तिः कृता सा नृणां
यामन्वेषयतां प्रयान्ति * सततं सर्वे समार्ति गुणाः ॥ १० ॥

न ध्यातं पदमीश्वरस्य विधिवत्संसारविच्छिन्नये
स्वर्गद्वारकपाटपाटनपटुर्धर्मोऽपि नोपार्जितः ॥

* नारीपीनपयोधरोरुयुगलं स्वप्नेऽपि नालिङ्गितं
40 मातुः केवलमेव यौवनवनच्छेदे कुठारा वयम् ॥ ११ ॥

1. 19 प्रहसितधिया; 1. 20 किमपर; 1. 22 ऽपि न ज्ञायते; 1. 26 क्षुधि-
तैर्निरमविधुरा; 1. 27 गद्गदगलद्रच्छद्भिः; 1. 29 ऽपि; 1. 31 शनैरभ्युत्थानं;
1. 32 दुष्टः; 1. 36 सहसा; 1. 39 °युगलं.

भोगा न भुक्ता वयमेव भुक्ता-

स्तपो न तप्तं वयमेव तप्ताः ॥

कालो न यातो वयमेषयाता-

स्तृष्णा न जीर्णा वयमेष जीर्णाः ॥ १२ ॥

45 क्षान्तं न क्षमया गृहोचितसुखं त्यक्तं न संतोषतः

* सोढो दुःसहशीतवाततपनक्लेशो न तप्तं तपः ॥

ध्यातं वित्तमहर्निशं नियमितप्राणैर्न शम्भोः पदं

तत्तत्कर्म कृतं यदेव मुनिभिस्तैस्तैः * फलैर्वञ्चिताः ॥ १३ ॥

घलिभिर्मुखमाक्रान्तं पलितैरङ्कितं शिरः ॥

50 गात्राणि शिथिलायन्ते तृष्णैका तरुणायते ॥ १४ ॥

येनैवाम्बरखण्डेन संवीतो निशि चन्द्रमाः ॥

तेनैव च दिवा * भानुरहो दौर्गत्यमेतयोः ॥ १५ ॥

अवश्यं यातारश्चिरतरमुषित्वापि विषया

वियोगे को भेदस्त्यजति न जनो यत्स्वयममून् ॥

55 व्रजन्तः स्वातन्त्र्यादतुलपरितापाय मनसः

स्वयं त्यक्ता * ह्येते शमसुखमनन्तं विदधति ॥ १६ ॥

विवेकव्याकोशे विकसति * शमे शीम्यति तृषा-

परिष्वङ्गे तुङ्गे प्रसरतितरां सा परिणतिः ॥

जराजीर्णैर्ध्वर्यग्रसनगहनाक्षेपकूपण-

60 स्तृषापात्रं यस्यां भवति मरुतामप्यधिपतिः ॥ १७ ॥

कृशः काणः खञ्जः श्रवणरहितः पुच्छविकलो

व्रणी * पूयक्लिन्नः कृमिकुलशतैरावृततनुः ॥

क्षुधाक्षामो जीर्णः * पिठरककपालार्पितगलः

शुनीमन्वेति श्वा हतमपि च हन्त्येव मदनः ॥ १८ ॥

1. 46 सोढा दुःसहशीतवाततपनाः क्लेशान्, 1. 48 फलैर्वञ्चितम्; 1. 52 भानुः पश्य; 1. 56 स्वेते; 1. 57 शनैः; 1. 59 णः कृपापात्रं; 1. 62 पूतिक्लिन्नः; 1. 63 पिठरजकपालार्पित, पिठरककपालार्दित.

- 65 भिक्षाशनं तदपि नीरसमेककारं
शय्या च भूः परिजनो निजदेहमात्रम् ॥
घृत्तं * सुजीर्णशतस्रण्डमयी च कन्था
हाहा तथापि * विषयाश्च जहाति चेतः ॥ १९ ॥
- 70 स्तनौ मांसग्रन्थी कनककलशाधित्युपमितौ
मुखं स्नेहमागारं तदपि च शशाङ्केन तुलितम् ॥
स्नवन्मूत्रक्लिन्नं * करिवरशिरस्पर्धि * जघन-
महो निन्द्यं रूपं कविजनविशेषैर्गुह कृतम् ॥ २० ॥
- * अजानन्माहात्म्यं पततु * शलभो दीपदहने
स मीनोऽप्यज्ञानाद्दडिशयुतमभ्रातु पिशितम् ॥
- 75 विजानन्तोऽप्येते वयमिह विपञ्जालजटिला-
श्च मुञ्चामः कामानहह गहनो मोहमहिमा ॥ २१ ॥
- * फलमलमशनाय स्वादु पानाय तोयं
* शयनमवनिपृष्ठं घल्कले वाससी च ॥
* नवधनमधुपानभ्रान्तसर्वेन्द्रियाणा-
- 80 मधिनयमनुमन्तुं नोत्सहे दुर्जनानाम् ॥ २२ ॥
- * विपुलद्वयैर्धन्यैः कैश्चिज्जगज्जनितं पुरा
विधृतमपरैर्दत्तं चान्यैर्विजित्य तृणं यथा ॥
इह हि भुवनान्यन्ये धीराश्चतुर्दश भुञ्जते
कतिपयपुरस्त्राम्ये पुंसां क एष मदञ्जरः ॥ २३ ॥
- 85 त्वं राजा वयमन्युपासितगुरुप्रज्ञाभिमानोन्नताः
ख्यातस्त्वं विभवेर्यशांसि कथयो दिक्षु प्रतन्वन्ति नः ॥

1. 67 च जीर्णशतस्रण्डमयी च, च जीर्णशतस्रण्डमलीन; 1. 68 विषया न
परिख्यजन्ति; 1. 71 *करस्पर्धि; 1. 71 जघनं परं; 1. 73 अजानन्माहात्म्यं,
अजानन्माहाति; 1. 73 शलभस्तीव्र; 1. 77 विस; 1. 78 *मवनिपृष्ठे; 1. 79 नि-
धुवन, धनलव; 1. 81 विपुलमतिभिः •

इत्थं मानद नातिदूरमुभयोरप्यावयोरन्तरं

यद्यस्मात्सु पराङ्मुखोऽसि वयमप्येकान्ततो निरूपृहाः ॥ २४ ॥

अभुक्तायां यस्यां क्षणमपि न चातं नृपशतै-

90 भुवस्तस्या लाभे क इव बहुमानः क्षितिभुजाम् ॥

तदंशस्याप्यंशे तदवयववेशेऽपि पतयो

विषादे कर्तव्ये विदधति जडाः प्रत्युत मुदम् ॥ २५ ॥

मृत्पिण्डो जलरेखया वलयितः सर्वोप्ययं नम्वणु-

* भोगीकृत्य तमेव संयुगशतै राज्ञां * गणा भुञ्जते ॥

95 * तद्दुर्ददतेऽथवा न किमपि क्षुद्रा दरिद्रा भृशं

धिग्धिक्तान्पुरुषाधमान् * धनकणं वाञ्छन्ति तेभ्योपि य

॥ २६ ॥

न नटा न विटा न * गायना

न परद्रोहनिबद्धबुद्धयः ॥

नृपसञ्चानि नाम के वयं

100 कुचभारानमिता न योषितः ॥ २७ ॥

पुरा * विद्वत्तासीदुपशमवतां क्लेशहतये

गता कालेनासौ विषयसुखसिद्धयै विषयिणाम् ॥

इदानीं तु प्रेक्ष्य क्षितितलभुजः शास्त्रविमुखा-

नहो कष्टं सापि प्रतिदिनमधोऽधः प्रविशति ॥ २८ ॥

105 स जातः कोप्यासीन्मदनरिपुणा मूर्ध्नि धवलं

कपालं यस्योच्चैर्विनिहितमलंकारविधये ॥

नृभिः * प्राणत्राणप्रबलमतिभिः कैश्चिदधुना

नमद्भिः कः पुंसामयमतुलदर्पज्वरभरः ॥ २९ ॥

1. 94 रङ्गीकृत्य तमेव; 1. 94 गणैर्भुज्यते; 1. 95 नो ददुर्ददतेऽथवा
किमपि ते; 1. 96 धनकणान्; 1. 97 गायका; 1. 101 विद्वत्तासीदमलिनधियां;
1. 107 प्राणत्राणप्रबलमतिभिः.

* अर्थानामीशिषे त्वं वयमपि च * गिरामीशमहे यावदर्थं
 110 शूरस्त्वं * वादिदर्पज्वरशमनविधावक्षयं पाटवं नः ॥
 सेवन्ते त्वां धनाढ्या * मतिमलहतये मामपि श्रोतुकामा
 मय्यप्यासा न*चेत्स्त्वयि मम सुतरामेष राजन्गतोस्मि॥३०॥

यदा किञ्चिज्ज्ञोऽहं क्षिप इव मदान्धः समभवं
 तदा सर्वज्ञोऽस्मीत्यभवदवलितं मम मनः ॥
 115 यदा किञ्चित्किञ्चिद्बुधजनसकाशादवगतं
 तदा मूर्खोऽस्मीति ज्वर इव मदो मे व्यपगतः ॥ ३१ ॥

अतिक्रान्तः कालो * लटभललनाभोगसुभगो
 भ्रमन्तः भ्रान्ताः स्मः सुचिरमिह * संसारसरणौ ॥
 इदानीं स्वःसिन्धोस्तटभुवि समाक्रन्दनगिरः
 120 सुतारैः फूत्कारैः शिव शिव शिवेति प्रतनुमः ॥ ३२ ॥

माने * म्लायति खण्डिते च वसुनि व्यर्थं प्रयातेऽधिनि
 क्षीणे बन्धुजने गते परिजने नष्टे शनैर्यौवने ॥
 युक्तं केवलमेतदेव सुधियां यज्जहुकन्यापयः-
 * पूतप्राधगिरीन्द्रकन्दरतटीकुञ्जे निवासः क्वचित् ॥३३॥

125 परेषां चेतांसि प्रतिदिवसमाराध्य * बहु हा
 प्रसादं किं नेतुं विशसि हृदय * क्लेशकलिलम् ॥
 प्रसन्ने * त्वय्यन्तः स्वयमुदितचिन्तामणिगुणे
 विमुक्तः संकल्पः किमभिलषितं पुष्यति न ते ॥ ३४ ॥

भोगे रोगभयं कुले च्युतिभयं वित्ते नृपालाद्भयं
 130 * माने दैन्यभयं बले रिपुभयं रूपे जराया भयम् ॥

1. 109 अर्थानामीश्वरस्त्वं; 1. 109 गिरामीश्वरा; 1. 110 वाग्मि; 1. 111
 क्षतिविमलधियो; 1. 112 चेत्स्त्वयि, ते चेत्त्वयि; 1. 117 ललितललनाभोगसु-
 क्तदो; 1. 118 संसारसरणीम्; 1. 121 म्लयिनि; 1. 124 °दरीकुञ्जे; 1. 125
 बहुधा; 1. 126 क्लेशकलितम्, क्लेशमफलम्; 1. 127 त्वय्येव; 1. 130 मौने.

शास्त्रे * वादभयं गुणे खलभयं काये कृतास्ताद्भवं
सर्वं वस्तु भयान्वितं भुवि नृणां वैराग्यमेवाभयम् ॥ ३५ ॥

अमीषां प्राणानां तुलितबिसिनीपत्रपयसां
कृते किं नास्माभिर्विगलितविवेकैर्व्यवसितम् ॥

135 * यदाख्यानामग्रे * द्रविणमदनिःसंज्ञमनसां
कृतं वीतव्रीडैर्निजगुणकथापातकमपि ॥ ३६ ॥

* रम्या सा नगरी महान्स नृपतिः सामन्तचक्रं च त-
त्पार्श्वे तस्य च * सा विदग्धपरिषत्ताश्चन्द्रबिम्बाननाः ॥

* उद्विक्तः स च राजपुत्रनिवहस्ते बन्दिनस्ताः कथाः
140 सर्वं यस्य * वशाद्गात्स्मृतिपथं कालाय तस्मै नमः ॥ ३७ ॥

वयं येभ्यो * जाताश्चिरमपगता एष खलु ते
समं यैः संवृद्धाः * स्मृतिविषयतां तेऽपि गमिताः ॥

इदानीमेते स्मः प्रतिदिवसमासश्रपतना
* गतास्तुल्यावस्थां सिकतिलनदीतीरतरुभिः ॥ ३८ ॥

145 * यत्रानेके कचिदपि गृहे तत्र तिष्ठत्यथैको
यत्राप्येकस्तदनु बहवस्तत्र * नैकोऽपि चान्ते ॥
इत्थं चेमौ रजनिदिषसौ दोलयन्द्वाविषाक्षौ
कालः काल्या * भुवनफलके क्रीडति * प्राणिशारैः ॥ ३९ ॥

तपस्यन्तः सन्तः किमधिनिवसामः सुरनर्दी
150 गुणोदारान्धारानुत परिचरामः * सविनयेम् ॥
पिबामः शास्त्रौघानुत विविधकाव्यामृतरसा-
न्न विन्नः किं कुर्मः कतिपयनिमेषायुषि जने ॥ ४० ॥

1. 131 वादि; 1. 135 यदज्ञाना; 1. 135 °निःशङ्कमनसां; 1. 137 भ्रातः
कष्टमहो; 1. 138 सापि राजपरिषत्; 1. 139 सदृत्तः; 1. 140 °स्मृतिपदं;
1. 141 जाताश्चिरपरिगता, जाताश्चिरतरगता; 1. 142 स्मरणपदवी; 1. 144
द्रता; 1. 145 यत्रानेकः; 1. 146 चान्ते न चैकः; 1. 148 सह बहुकलः;
1. 148 प्राणिशारैः; 1. 150 सविनयान्.

गङ्गातीरे हिमगिरिशिलाबद्धपद्मासनस्य

ब्रह्मध्यानाभ्यसनविधिना योगमित्रां गतस्य ॥

155 किं तैर्भाव्यं मम सुदिवसैर्यत्र ते निर्विशङ्काः

* कण्डूयन्ते जरठहरिणाः शृङ्गमङ्गे मदीये ॥ ४१ ॥

स्फुरत्स्फारज्योत्स्नाधवलिततले कापि पुलिने

* सुखासीनाः शान्तध्वनिषु रजनीषु द्युसरितः ॥

भवाभोगोद्विग्नाः शिव शिव * शिवेत्युच्चवचसा

160 कदा स्यामानन्दोद्भूतबहुलबाष्पाप्लुतदृशः ॥ ४२ ॥

महादेवो देवः सरिदपि च सैवामरसरि-

द्रुहा एवागारं वसनमपि ता एव हरितः ॥

सुदृढा कालोयं * व्रतमिदमदैन्यव्रतमिति

कियद्वा वक्ष्यामो वटविटप एवास्तु दयिता ॥ ४३ ॥

165 शिरः शार्वं * स्वर्गात्पशुपतिशिरस्तः क्षितिधरं

महीध्रादुत्तुङ्गादवनिमवनेश्चापि जलधिम् ॥

* अधोऽधो गङ्गेयं पदमुपगता स्तोकमथवा

विवेकभ्रष्टानां भवति विनिपातः शतमुखः ॥ ४४ ॥

आशा नाम नदी मनोरथजला तृष्णातरङ्गाकुला

170 रागग्राहवती वितर्कविहगा * धैर्यद्रुमध्वंसिनी ॥

मोहावर्तसुदुस्तरातिगहना प्रोत्तुङ्गचिन्तातटी

तस्याः पारगता विशुद्धमनसो नन्दन्ति योगीश्वराः ॥ ४५ ॥

आसंसारं त्रिभुवनमिदं चिन्वतां तात तादृ-

त्रैवास्माकं नयनपदवीं श्रौत्रघर्मागतो वा ॥

1. 156 संप्राप्त्यन्ते जरठहरिणाः शृङ्गकण्डूविनोदम्, कण्डूयन्ते जरठहरिणाः

स्वाङ्गमङ्गे मदीये; 1. 158 समासीनाः; 1. 159 शिवेत्यार्तवचसा, शिवेत्यार्तवचसः,

शिवेत्यात्तवचसः; 1. 163 °मदैभ्यव्रतमिदं; 1. 165 स्वर्गात्पतति शिरसस्तत्,

स्वर्गात्पतति शिरसोऽतः; 1. 167 अधो गङ्गा सेयं; 1. 170 धर्म.

175 योयं धत्ते * विषयकरिणीगाढरूढाभिमान-
क्षीबस्यान्तःकरणकरिणः संयमालानलीलाम् ॥ ४६ ॥

ये वर्धन्ते धनपतिपुरःप्रार्थनादुःखभाजो
ये चाल्पत्वं दधति विषयाक्षेपपर्यस्तबुद्धेः ॥
तेषामन्तःस्फुरितहसितं वासराणां स्मरेयं

180 ध्यानच्छेदे शिखरिकुहरमावशय्यानिषण्णः ॥ ४७ ॥

विद्या नाधिगता कलङ्करहिता वित्तं च नोपार्जितं
शुश्रूषापि समाहितेन मनसा पित्रोर्न संपादिता ॥
* आलोलायतलोचना युवतयः स्वप्नेऽपि नालिङ्किताः
कालोयं परपिण्डलोलुपतया काकैरिव * प्रेरितः ॥ ४८ ॥

185 वितीर्णैः सर्वस्वे तरुणकरुणापूर्णहृदयाः
स्मरन्तः संसारे * विगुणपरिणामां विधिगतीः ॥
घयं पुण्यारण्ये * परिणतशरच्चन्द्रकिरणां
त्रियामां नेष्यामो हरचरणचिन्तैकशरणाः ॥ ४९ ॥

घयमिह परितुष्टा बलकलैस्त्वं * दुकूलैः
190 सम इह परितोषो निर्विशेषो विशेषः ॥
स तु * भवतु दरिद्रो यस्य तृष्णा विशाला
मनसि च परितुष्टे कोऽर्थवान्को दरिद्रः ॥ ५० ॥

* यदेतत्स्वच्छन्दं विहरणमकार्ष्यमशनं
सहायैः संवासः श्रुतमुपशमैकव्रतफलम् ॥
195 मनो मन्दस्पन्दं बहिरपि चिरस्यापि विमृश-
न्न जाने कस्यैषा परिणतिरुदारस्य तपसः ॥ ५१ ॥

1. 175 °गाढगूढाभिमान; 1. 183 °लोचनाः प्रियतमाः; 1. 184 प्रेषितः;
1. 186 विरसपरिणामां विधिगतिम्, विगुणपरिणामावधिगतिम्; 1. 187 °कि-
रणैस्त्रियामां, °किरणे त्रियामां; 1. 189 च लक्ष्म्या; 1. 191 भवति; 1. 193
यदेतत्स्वाच्छन्दं.

पाणिः पात्रं पवित्रं भ्रमणपरिगतं मैक्षमक्षय्यमर्षं
विस्तीर्णं * वस्त्रमाशादशकमपमलं तल्पमस्वल्पमुर्वी ॥
येषां * निःसङ्गतान्तःकरणपरिणतिः स्वात्मसंतोषिणस्ते
200 धन्याः संन्यस्तदैन्यव्यतिकरनिकराः कर्म निर्मूलयन्ति ॥५२॥

* दुराराध्याश्चामी तुरगचलचित्ताः क्षितिभुजो
वयं तु स्थूलेच्छा * महति च पदे बद्धमनसः ॥
जरा देहं मृत्युर्हरति * सकलं जीवितमिदं
सखे नान्यच्छेयो जगति विदुषोऽन्यत्र तपसः ॥ ५३ ॥

205 भोगा मेघवितानमध्यविलसत्सौदामिनीचञ्चला
आयुर्वायुविघटिताभ्रपटलीलीनाम्बुवद्भ्रुरम् ॥
लोला * यौवनलालना * तनुभृतामित्याकलय्य द्रुतं
योगे धैर्यसमाधिसिद्धिसुलभे बुद्धि विधङ्गं बुधाः ॥ ५४ ॥

पुण्ये ग्रामे वने वा महति सितपटच्छन्नपालीं कपाली-
210 मादाय * न्यायगर्भद्विजहुतहुतभुग्धूमधूम्नोपकण्ठम् ॥
द्वारं द्वारं * प्रवृत्तो वरमुदरदरीपूरणाय क्षुधार्तो
मानी प्राणी * स्वदेशे न पुनरनुदिनं तुल्यकुल्येषु दीनः ॥५५॥

चाण्डालः किमयं द्विजातिरथवा शूद्रोऽथ किं तापसः
किंवा * तत्त्वविवेकपेशलमतियोगीश्वरः कोपि किम् ॥
215 * इत्युत्पन्नविकल्पजल्पमुखरैः संभाष्यमाणा जनै-
र्न कुद्धाः पथि नैव तुष्टमनसो यान्ति स्वयं योगिनः ॥५६॥

1. 198 वस्त्रमाशासुदशकममलं, वस्त्रमाशादशकममलिनं; 1. 199 निःस-
ङ्गताङ्गीकरण; 1. 201 दुराराध्यः स्वाधी; 1. 202 सुमहति; 1. 203 द-
यितं; 1. 207 यौवनलालसा; 1. 207 जलरयाच्चेत्याकलय्य; 1. 210 ज्ञानगर्भः;
1. 211 प्रविष्टो; 1. 212 स धन्यो; 1. 214 तत्त्वनिवेश; 1. 215 'मुखरै-
राभाष्यमाणा, 'मुखरैराभाव्यमाना.

अहो धन्याः केचित्कृतितमवबन्धव्यातिकरा
* वनान्तेऽचिन्वन्तो विषमविषयाशीविषगतिम् ॥

220 शरच्चन्द्रज्योत्स्नाधवलगगनाभोगसुभगां
नयन्ते ये रात्रि * सुकृतचयचित्तैकशरणाः ॥ ५७ ॥

एतस्माद्विरमेन्द्रियार्थगहनादायासकादाभय
श्रेयोमार्गमशेषदुःखशमनव्यापारदक्षं क्षणात् ॥
शान्तं भावमुपैहि संत्यज निजां कल्लोललोलां गतिं
मा भूयो भज भङ्गुरां भवरातिं चेतः प्रसीदाधुना ॥ ५८ ॥

225 पुण्यैर्मूलफलैः * प्रियैश्चसलिलैर्वृत्तिं कुरुष्वाधुना
* भूशय्यानववलकलैरकरुणैरुत्तिष्ठ यामो * वनम् ॥
क्षुद्राणामविवेकमूढमनसां यत्रेश्वराणां सदा
* वित्तव्याधिविकारविह्वलगिरां नामापि न भूयते ॥ ५९ ॥

230 मोहं मार्जय तामुपार्जय रतिं चन्द्रार्धशूडामणौ
चेतः स्वर्गतरङ्गिणीतटमुषामासङ्गमङ्गीकुरु ॥
को वा वीचिषु बुद्बुदेषु च तडिलेखासु च स्त्रीषु च
ज्वालाग्रेषु च पद्मगेषु च सरिद्वेगेषु च प्रत्ययः ॥ ६० ॥

अग्रे गीतं सरसकवयः पार्श्वतो दाक्षिणात्याः
पृष्ठे लीलावलयरणितं चामरग्राहिणीनाम् ॥
235 यद्यस्त्येवं कुरु भवरसास्वादने लम्पटत्वं
नो चेष्टेतः प्रविश सहसा निर्विकल्पे समाधौ ॥ ६१ ॥

विरमत बुधा योषित्सङ्गात्सुखात्क्षणभङ्गुरा-
त्कुरुत करुणामैत्रीप्रज्ञावधूजनसंगमम् ॥

1. 218 वनान्ते चित्तान्तर्विषमविषयाशीविषगताः ; 1. 220 °चित्तैकशरणाः ;
1. 225 प्रिये प्रणयिनि वृत्ति, प्रियप्रणयिनी वृत्ति; 1. 226 भूशय्यानववलकलैर-
करुणै, भूशय्यां नवपल्लवैः कुरु तृणै; 1. 226 वने; 1. 228 वित्तव्याध्यविवेक,
वित्तव्याध्यविवेक.

- न खलु नरके हाराक्रान्तं घनस्तनमण्डलं
 240 शरणमथवा भोणीविम्बं रणन्मणिमेखलम् ॥ ६२ ॥
- प्राणाघाताच्चिवृत्तिः परघनहरणे संयमः सत्यवाक्यं
 काले शक्त्या प्रदानं युधतिजनकयामूकभाषः परेषाम् ॥
 तृष्णास्रोतोविभङ्गो गुरुषु च विनयः सर्वभूतानुकम्पा
 सामान्यः * सर्वशास्त्रेष्वनुपहतविधिः श्रेयसामेष पन्थाः
 ॥ ६३ ॥
- 245 मातर्लक्ष्मि भजस्व कंचिदपरं मत्काङ्क्षिणी मा स्म भू-
 भोगेभ्यः स्पृहयालसो न हि घयं का निस्पृहाणामसि ॥
 सद्यःस्यूतपलाशपत्रपुटिकापात्रे पवित्रीकृते
 * भिक्षासक्तुभिरेव संप्रति वयं वृत्तिं समीहामहे ॥ ६४ ॥
- यूयं वयं घयं यूयमित्यासीन्मतिरावयोः
 250 किं जातमधुना येन यूयं यूयं घयं घयम् ॥ ६५ ॥
- बाले लीलामुकुलितममी मन्थरा दृष्टिपाताः
 किं क्षिप्यन्ते विरम विरम व्यर्थ एष भ्रमस्ते ॥
 संप्रत्यन्ये घयमुपरतं बाल्यमास्था वनान्ते
 क्षीणो मोहस्तृणमिव जगज्जालमालोकयामः ॥ ६६ ॥
- 255 इयं बाला मां प्रत्यनवरतमिन्दीवरदल-
 प्रभाचोरं चक्षुः क्षिपति किमभिप्रेतमनया ॥
 गतो मोहोऽस्माकं स्मरकुसुमबाणव्यतिकर-
 ज्वरज्वाला शान्ता तदपि न वराकी विरमति ॥ ६७ ॥
- रम्यं हर्म्यतलं न किं वसतये श्राव्यं न गेयादिकं
 260 किं वा प्राणसमासमागमसुखं नैवाधिकं प्रीतये ॥
 किं * तूद्धान्तपतत्पतङ्गपवनव्यालोलदीपाङ्कुर-
 ष्छायाचञ्चलमाकलय्य सकलं सन्तो वनान्तं गताः ॥ ६८ ॥

- किं कन्दाः कन्दरेभ्यः प्रलयमुपगता निर्झरा वा गिरिभ्यः
 प्रध्वस्ता वा तरुभ्यः सरसफलभृतो वल्कलिन्यश्च शाखाः ॥
 265 वीक्ष्यन्ते यन्मुखानि प्रसभमपगतप्रभ्रयाणां खलानां
 * दुःखोपात्ताल्पवित्तस्मयपवनवशाच्चर्तितभ्रूलतानि ॥ ६९ ॥
- * गङ्गातरङ्गहिमशीकरशीतलानि
 विद्याधराभ्युषितचारुशिलातलानि ॥
 स्थानानि किं हिमवतः प्रलयं गतानि
 270 यत्सावमानपरपिण्डरता मनुष्याः ॥ ७० ॥
- यदा मेरुः श्रीमाक्षिपतति युगान्ताग्निनिहतः
 समुद्राः शुष्यन्ति * प्रचुरनिकरप्राह्निलयाः ॥
 धरा गच्छत्यन्तं धरणिधरपादैरपि धृता
 शरीरे का घाता करिकलभकर्णाग्रचपले ॥ ७१ ॥
- 275 एकाकी निस्पृहः शान्तः पाणिपात्रो दिगम्बरः ॥
 कदा शम्भो भविष्यामि कर्मनिर्मूलनक्षमः ॥ ७२ ॥
- प्राप्ताः श्रियः सकलकामदुघास्ततः किं
 दत्तं पदं शिरसि विद्विषतां ततः किम् ॥
 * संमानिताः प्रणयिनो विभधैस्ततः किं
 280 कल्पं स्थितं तनुभृतां तनुभिस्ततः किम् ॥ ७३ ॥
- जीर्णा कन्था ततः किं * सितममलवरं पट्टवल्लं ततः कि-
 मेका भार्या ततः किं * हयकरिसुगणैरावृतो वा ततः किम् ॥
 भक्तं भुक्तं ततः किं कदशनमथवा वासरान्ते ततः किं
 व्यक्तज्योतिर्न * चान्तर्मथितभवभयं वैभवं वा ततः किम्
 ॥ ७४ ॥

1. 266 °स्मयवशपवनानर्तित; 1. 267 °तरङ्गकणशीकर; 1. 272 प्रचु-
 रसलिल; 1. 279 सन्मानिताः; 1. 281 सितममलपटं पट्टसूत्रं; 1. 282 शत-
 गुणगुणित्वा कोटिरेका; 1. 284 वान्तर्मथित.

- 285 मकिर्मवे मरणजन्मभयं हृदिस्थं
 ओहो न बन्धुषु न मन्मथजा विकाराः ॥
 संसर्गदोषरहिता विजना वनान्ता
 वैरान्यमस्ति किमतः परमर्थनीयम् ॥ ७५ ॥
- 290 तस्मादनन्तमजरं परमं विकासि
 तद्ब्रह्म चिन्तय किमेभिरसद्विकल्पैः ॥
 यस्यानुषङ्गिण इमे भुवनाधिपत्य-
 भोगादयः कृपणलोकमता भवन्ति ॥ ७६ ॥
- 295 पातालमाविशसि यासि नमो विलङ्घ्य
 दिङ्मण्डलं भ्रमसि मानस चापलेन ॥
 * भ्रान्त्याऽपि ज्ञातु विमलं कथमात्मनीनं
 तद्ब्रह्म न स्मरसि निर्वृतिमेषि येन ॥ ७७ ॥
- रात्रिः सैव पुनः स एव दिवसो * मत्वाऽबुधा जन्तवो
 धावन्त्युद्यमिनस्तथैव निभृतप्रारब्धतत्तत्क्रियाः ॥
 व्यापारैः * पुनरुक्तभुक्तविषयैरेवंविधेनामुना
 300 संसारेण * कदर्शिताः कथमहो मोहाच्च लज्जामहे ॥ ७८ ॥
- मही रम्या शय्या विपुलमुपधानं भुजलता
 वितानं चाकाशं व्यजनमनुकूलोऽयमनिलः ॥
 * स्फुरद्दीपश्चन्द्रो विरतिवनितासङ्गमुदितः
 सुखं शान्तः शेते मुनिरतनुभूतिर्नृप इव ॥ ७९ ॥
- 305 त्रैलोक्याधिपतित्वमेव विरसं यस्मिन्महाशासने
 * तल्लब्धाशनवस्त्रमानघटने भोगे रतिं मा कृथाः ॥
 भोगः कोपि स एक एव परमो नित्योदितो जृम्भते
 यत्स्वादाद्विरसा भवन्ति * विषयास्त्रैलोक्यराज्यादयः ॥ ८० ॥

1. 295 भ्रान्त्या ऽपि; 1. 297 मत्वा मुधा; 1. 299 पुनरुक्तभूत;
 1. 300 कदर्शिता वय; 1. 303 शरच्चन्द्रो दीपो; 1. 306 तल्लब्धासन;
 1. 308 विभवा.

- किं वेदैः स्मृतिभिः पुराणपठनैः शास्त्रैर्महाविस्तरैः
 310 स्वर्गं प्र मकुटीनिवासफलदैः कर्मक्रियाविभ्रमैः ॥
 मुक्तैकं भवबन्धदुःखरचनाविध्वंसकालानलं
 स्वात्मानन्दपदप्रवेशकलनं * शेषा जणिगृत्तयः ॥ ८१ ॥
- आयुः कल्लोललोलं कतिपयदिघसस्थायिनी यौवमभी-
 रर्याः संकल्पकल्पा घनसमयतडिद्विभ्रमा भोगपूराः ॥
 315 कण्ठाश्लेषोपगूढं तदपि च न चिरं यत्प्रियाभिः प्रणीतं
 ब्रह्मण्यासकचित्ता भवत भवभयाम्भोधिपारं तरीतुम् ॥ ८२ ॥
- ब्रह्माण्डमण्डलीमात्रं किं लोभाय मनस्विनः ॥
 शफरीस्फुरितेनाव्धेः क्षुब्धता * जातु जायते ॥ ८३ ॥
- यदासीदज्ञानं स्मरतिमिरसंस्कारजनितं
 320 तदा दृष्टं नारीमयमिदमशेषं * जगदपि ॥
 इदानीमस्माकं पटुतरविवेकाञ्जनजुषां
 समीभूता दृष्टिस्त्रिभुवनमपि ब्रह्म मनुते ॥ ८४ ॥
- रम्याश्चन्द्रमरीचयस्तृणवती रम्या वनान्तस्थली
 * रम्यं साधुसुहृत्समागमसुखं काव्येषु रम्याः कथाः ॥
 325 कोपोपाहितबाष्पबिन्दुतरलं रम्यं प्रियाया मुखं
 सर्वं रम्यमनित्यतामुपगते चित्ते न किञ्चित्पुनः ॥ ८५ ॥
- भिक्षाशी जनमध्यसङ्गरहितः स्वायत्तचेष्टः सदा
 दानादानविरक्तमार्गनिरतः कश्चित्तपस्वी स्थितः ॥
 * रथ्याकीर्णविशीर्णजीर्णवसनैरास्यूतकन्धाधरो
 330 निर्मानो निरहंकृतिः शमसुखाभोगैकबद्धस्पृहः ॥ ८६ ॥

1. 312 शेषैर्वणिगृत्तिभिः ; 1. 318 न तु ; 1. 320 जगदिति ; 1. 324
 रम्यः साधुसमागमः शमशुखं, रम्यं साधुसमागमोद्भवसुखं ; 1. 329 रथ्याक्षीण-
 विशीर्णजीर्णवसनैः संप्राप्तकन्धासखो, रथ्याक्षीणविशीर्णजीर्णवसनैः संप्रोतकन्धा-
 धरो.

मातर्मैदिनि तात मारुत सखे तेजः सुबन्धो जल

भ्रातर्व्योम निबद्ध * एष भवतामन्त्यः प्रणामाञ्जलिः ॥

युष्मत्सङ्गवशोपजातसुकृतोद्रेकस्फुरन्निर्मल-

ज्ञानापास्तसमस्तमोहमहिमा लीये परे ब्रह्मणि ॥ ८७ ॥

335 यावत्स्वस्थमिदं * शरीरमरुजं यावज्जरा दूरतो

यावच्छेन्द्रियशक्तिरप्रतिहता यावत्क्षयो नायुषः ॥

आत्मधेयसि तावदेव विदुषा कार्यः प्रयत्नो महान्

* संदीप्ते भवने तु कूपखननं प्रत्युद्यमः कीदृशः ॥ ८८ ॥

नाभ्यस्ता भुवि धादिवृन्ददमनी विद्या विनीतोचिता

340 खड्गाग्रैः करिकुम्भपीठदलनैर्नाकं न नीतं यशः ॥

कान्ताकोमलपल्लवाधररसः पीतो न चन्द्रोदये

तारुण्यं गतमेव निष्फलमहो शून्यालये दीपवत् ॥ ८९ ॥

ज्ञानं सतां मानमदादिनाशनं

केषांचिदेतन्मदमानकारणम् ॥

345 स्थानं विविकं यमिनां विमुक्तये

कामातुराणामतिकामकारणम् ॥ ९० ॥

जीर्णा एव मनोरथाः स्वहृदये यातं * च तद्यौवनं

हन्ताङ्गेषु गुणाश्च वन्ध्यफलतां याता गुणैर्विना ॥

किं युक्तं सहसाभ्युपैति * बलवान्कालः कृतान्तोऽक्षमी

350 * हा ज्ञातं स्मरशासनाङ्घ्रियुगलं मुक्त्वास्ति नान्या गतिः

॥ ९१ ॥

* तृषा शुष्यत्यास्ये पिबति सलिलं * स्वादु सुरभि

क्षुधार्तः सञ्शालीन्कवलयति शाकादिवलितान् ॥

प्रदीप्ते रागाग्नौ सुदृढतरमाश्लिष्यति वधूं

प्रतीकारो व्याधेः सुखमिति विपर्यस्यति जनः ॥ ९२ ॥

1. 332 एव भवतामेष, एष भवतामग्रे; 1. 335 कलेवरगृहं यावच्च दूरे जरा; 1. 338 प्रोदीप्ते; 1. 347 जरां यौवनम्; 1. 349 बलवान्कालो हि सर्वान्तकृत्; 1. 350 ज्ञाज्ञातं; 1. 351 तृषार्तः सन्प्राणी; 1. 351 शीतमधुरम्.

355 आत्वा गात्रैः पयोभिः शुचिकुसुमफलैरर्चयित्वा विमो त्वां
ध्येये ध्यानं नियोज्य * क्षितिधरकुहरप्रावपर्यङ्कमूले ॥
* आत्मारामः फलाशी गुरुवचनरतस्त्वत्प्रसादात्स्मरारे
* दुःखं मोक्ष्ये कदाहं समकरचरणे पुंसि सेवासमुत्थम् ॥९३॥

शय्या शैलशिला गृहं गिरिगुहा वस्त्रं तरूणां त्वचः
360 सारङ्गाः सुहृदो ननु क्षितिगृहां वृत्तिः फलैः कोमलैः ॥
येषां * नैर्झरमम्बुपानमुचितं * रत्यै च विद्याङ्गना
मन्ये ते परमेश्वराः शिरसि यैर्वद्धो न सेवाञ्जलिः ॥ ९४ ॥

सत्यामेव त्रिलोकीसरिति हरशिरभुम्बिनीविच्छटायां
सद्वृत्ति कल्पयन्त्यां * तटविटपिभवैर्वल्कलैः सत्फलैश्च ॥
365 कोऽयं विद्वान्विपत्तिज्वरजनितरुजातीव * दुःखासिकानां
वक्त्रं वीक्षेत दुःस्थे यदि हि न बिभृयात्स्वे कुटुम्बे ऽनुकम्पाम्
॥ ९५ ॥

उद्यानेषु विचित्रभोजनविधिस्तीव्रातितीव्रं तपः
कौपीनावरणं सुवस्त्रममितं भिक्षाटनं मण्डनम् ॥
आसन्नं मरणं च मङ्गलसमं यस्यां समुत्पद्यते
370 तां काशीं परिहृत्य हन्त विबुधैरन्यत्र किं स्थायते ॥ ९६ ॥

नायं ते समयो रहस्यमधुना निद्राति नाथो यदि
स्थित्वा द्रक्ष्यति कुप्यति प्रभुरिति द्वारेषु येषां वक्त्रः ॥
चेतस्तानपहाय याहि भवनं देवस्य विश्वेशितु-
निर्दौवारिकनिर्दयोत्तयपरुषं निःसीमशर्मप्रदम् ॥ ९७ ॥

375 * प्रियसख विपद्दण्डप्रान्तप्रपातपरम्परा-
परिचयचले चिन्ताचक्रे निधाय विधिः खलः ॥

1. 356 °प्रावशय्यानिषण्णः ; 1. 357 आत्मारामोपलीनो ; 1. 358 दुःखा-
न्मोक्ष्ये कदाहं तव चरणरतो ध्यानमार्गैकप्रश्नः ; 1. 361 निर्झर ; 1. 361 रत्येव ;
1. 364 बटविटपभवै ; 1. 365 दुःखासिकानां, दुःखास्विकानां ; 1. 375 प्रि-
यसखि विपद्दण्डव्रातप्रताप.

मृदमिव बलात्पिण्डीकृत्य प्रगल्भकुलालव-

ञ्जमयति मनो नो जानीमः किमत्र विधास्यति ॥ १८ ॥

महेश्वरे वा जगतामधीश्वरे

380 जनार्दने वा जगदन्तरात्मनि ॥

* तयोर्न भेदप्रतिपत्तिरस्ति मे

तथापि भक्तिस्तरुणेन्दुशेखरे ॥ १९ ॥

रे कन्दर्प करं कदर्ययसि किं * कोदण्डटङ्कारितै

रे रे कोकिल कोमलैः कलरवैः किं त्वं वृथा * जल्पसि ॥

385 मुग्धे * झिग्धविदग्धमुग्धमधुरैर्लोलैः कटाक्षैरलं

चेतश्चुम्बितचन्द्रचूडचरणध्यानामृतं वर्तते ॥ १०० ॥

कौपीनं शतखण्डजर्जरतरं कन्था पुनस्तादृशी

निश्चिन्तं सुखसाध्यमैक्षमशनं शय्या श्मशाने वने ॥

मित्रामित्रसमानता * पशुपतेश्चिन्ताऽथ शून्यालये

390 * ध्वस्ताशेषमदप्रमादमुदितो योगी सुखं तिष्ठति ॥ १०१ ॥

भोगा भङ्गुरवृत्तयो बहुविधास्तैरेव चार्यं भव-

* स्तत्कस्येह कृते * परिभ्रमत रे लोकाः कृतं चेष्टितैः ॥

आशापाशशतोपशान्तिविशदं चेतः समाधीयतां

कामोच्छिस्तिवशे स्वधामनि यदि श्रद्धेयमस्मद्वचः ॥ १०२ ॥

395 धन्यानां गिरिकन्दरे निवसतां ज्योतिः परं ध्यायता-

मानन्दाश्रुजलं पिबन्ति शकुना निःशङ्कमङ्केशयाः ॥

अस्माकं तु * मनोरथोपरचितप्रासादवापीतट-

क्रीडाकाननकेलिकौतुकजुषामायुः * परिक्षीयते ॥ १०३ ॥

1. 381 न वस्तुभेद ; न भेदहेतु ; 1. 383 कोदण्डटङ्कारवै ; 1. 384 व-
ल्पासि ; 1. 385 'मधुराक्षेपे ; 1. 389 ऽतिविमला चिन्तातिशून्यालये ; 1. 390
ध्वस्ताशेषतमः प्रमोद, स्वात्मानन्दमदप्रमोद ; 1. 392 स्तत्कस्यैव ; 1. 392 प-
रिभ्रमय ; 1. 397 मनोरथैः परिचित ; 1. 398 परं क्षीयते.

- 400 * आघ्रातं मरणेन जन्म जरया विद्युच्चलं यौवनं
संतोषो धनलिप्सया शमसुखं प्रौढाङ्गनाविभ्रमैः ॥
लोकैर्मत्सरिभिर्गुणा * वनभुवो व्यालैर्नृपा दुर्जनै
रस्यैर्येण * विभूतयोप्युपहता प्रस्तं न किं केन वा ॥१०४॥
- आधिब्याधिशतैर्जनस्य विविधैरारोग्यमुन्मूल्यते
लक्ष्मीर्यत्र पतन्ति तत्र विवृतद्वारा इव व्यापदः ॥
- 405 जातं जातमवश्यमाशु विवशं मृत्युः करोत्यात्मसा-
सर्त्तिकं नाम निरङ्कुशेन विधिना यन्निर्मितं * सुस्थितम्
॥ १०५ ॥
- कृच्छ्रेणामेध्यमध्ये * नियमिततनुभिः स्थीयते * गर्भवासे
कान्ताविश्लेषदुःखव्यतिकरविषमे यौवने विप्रयोगः ॥
नारीणामप्यवज्ञा विलसति नियतं वृद्धभावोप्यसाधुः
- 410 संसारे रे मनुष्या वदत यदि सुखं स्वल्पमप्यस्ति किञ्चित्
॥ १०६ ॥
- आयुर्वर्षशतं नृणां परिमितं रात्रौ तदर्थं गतं
तस्यार्थस्य परस्य चार्थमपरं बालत्ववृद्धत्वयोः ॥
शेषं * व्याधिवियोगदुःखसहितं सेवादिभिर्नीयते
जीवे * चारितरङ्गचञ्चलतरे सौख्यं कुतः प्राणिनः ॥१०७॥
- 415 * ब्रह्मज्ञानविवेकिनोऽमलधियः कुर्वन्त्यहो दुःखं
* यन्मुञ्चन्त्युपभोगवन्त्यपि धनान्येकान्ततो न स्पृहाः ॥
न प्राप्तानि पुरा न संप्रति न च प्राप्तौ दृढप्रत्ययो
वाञ्छामात्रपरिग्रहाण्यपि परं त्यक्तुं न * शक्ता वयम् ॥१०८॥
- व्याघ्रीव तिष्ठति जरा परितर्जयन्ती
420 रोगाश्च शत्रव इव प्रहरन्ति देहम् ॥

1. 399 आक्रान्तं; 1. 401 स्तु पवनो; 1. 402 विभूतिरप्युपहता; 1. 406 सुस्थिरम्; 1. 407 नियमिततनुभिः; 1. 407 गर्भमध्ये, गर्भगर्ते; 1. 413 व्याधि-विदेश; 1. 414 °बुद्धदसमे; 1. 415 °विवेकिनर्मलधियः; 1. 416 यन्मुञ्च-न्त्युपभोगकाञ्चनधना, यन्मुञ्चन्त्युपभोगभाञ्ज्यपि धना; 1. 418 तानि क्षमाः.

* आयुः परिस्रवति भिन्नघटादिवाम्भो

लोकस्तथाप्यहितमाचरतीति चित्रम् ॥ १०९ ॥

सृजति तावदशेषगुणाकरं

पुरुषरत्नमलंकरणं भुवः ॥

425 तदपि तत्क्षणभङ्गि करोति चे-

दहह कष्टमपण्डितता विधेः ॥ ११० ॥

गात्रं संकुचितं गतिर्विगलिता भ्रष्टा च दन्तावलि-

दृष्टिर्नश्यति वर्धते बधिरता वक्त्रं च लालायते ॥

वाक्यं नाद्रियते च बान्धवजनो भार्या न शुश्रूषते

430 हा कष्टं पुरुषस्य जीर्णवयसः पुत्रोप्यमित्रायते ॥ १११ ॥

क्षणं बालो भूत्वा क्षणमपि युवा कामरासिकः

क्षणं वित्तैर्हीनः क्षणमपि च संपूर्णविभवः

जराजीर्णैरङ्गैर्नट इव बलीमंडिततनु-

नैरः संसारान्ते विशति यमधानीजवनिकाम् ॥ ११२ ॥

435 अहौ वा हारे वा बलवति रिपौ वा सुहृदि वा

मणौ वा लोष्ट्रे वा कुसुमशयने वा दृषदि वा ॥

तृणे वा स्त्रौणे वा मम समदृशो * यान्तु दिवसाः

* क्वचित्पुण्यारण्ये शिव शिव शिवेति प्रलपतः ॥ ११३ ॥

MISCELLANEOUS.

अकिंचनस्य दान्तस्य शान्तस्य समचेतसः ॥

440 सदा संतुष्टमनसः सर्वाः सुखमया दिशः ॥ १ ॥

भनावर्ती कालो व्रजति स वृथा तन्न गणितं
 दशास्तास्ताः सोढा * व्यसनशतसंपातविधुराः ॥
 कियद्वा वक्ष्यामः किमिव * वत नात्मन्यपकृतं
 * त्वया यावत्तावत्पुनरपि तदेव व्यवसितम् ॥ २ ॥

445 अभिमतमहामानग्रन्थिप्रभेदपटीयसी
 गुरुतरगुणग्रामाम्भोजस्फुटोज्ज्वलचन्द्रिका ॥
 * विपुलविलसल्लज्जावल्लीविदारकुठारिका
 जठरपिठरी * दुष्पूरेयं करोति विडम्बनम् ॥ ३ ॥

अह्नीमहि वयं भिक्षामाशावासो वसीमहि ॥
 450 शयीमहि महीपृष्ठे कुर्वीमहि किमीश्वरैः ॥ ४ ॥
 उत्तिष्ठ क्षणमेकमुद्वह गुरुं दारिद्र्यभारं सखे
 भ्रान्तस्तावदहं चिरं मरणजं सेवे त्वदीयं सुखम् ॥
 * इत्युक्तो धनवर्जितेन सहसा गत्वा श्मशाने शवो
 दारिद्र्यान्मरणं वरं वरमिति ज्ञात्वैव तूष्णीं स्थितः ॥ ५ ॥

455 उदन्वच्छन्ना भूः स च निधिरपां योजनशतं
 सदा पान्थः पूषा गगनपरिमाणं कलयति ॥
 इति प्रायो भावाः स्फुरदवधिमुद्रामुकुलिताः
 सतां प्रहोन्मेषः पुनरयमसीमा विजयते ॥ ६ ॥

एको देवः केशवो वा शिवो वा
 460 एकं मित्रं भूपतिर्वा यतिर्वा ॥
 एको वासः पत्तने वा वने वा
 एका भार्या सुन्दरी वा दरी वा ॥ ७ ॥

एको रागिषु राजते प्रियतमादेहार्धहारी हरो
 नीरागेषु जनो विमुक्तललनासङ्गो न यस्मात्परः ॥

1. 442 व्यसनशतसंताप; 1. 443 च तदा; 1. 444 किमस्माभिर्यावत्;

1. 447 °बल्लीवितान; 1. 448 दुःपूरेयं; 1. 453 इत्युक्तं धनवर्जितस्य वचनं श्रुत्वा.

465 दुर्धारस्मरबाणपद्मगविषयाविद्वमुग्धो जनः

शेषः कामविडम्बिताश्च विषयान्मोक्तुं न मोक्तुं क्षमः ॥ ८ ॥

एता हसन्ति च रुदन्ति च * कार्यहेतो-

र्विश्वासयन्ति च परं न च विश्वसन्ति ॥

तस्मान्नरेण कुलशीलसमन्वितेन

470 * नार्यः श्मशानघटिका इव वर्जनीयाः ॥ ९ ॥

कदा वाराणस्याममरतटिनीरोधसि वस-

न्वसानः कौपीनं शिरसि निदधानोऽलिपुटम् ॥

अये गौरीनाथ त्रिपुरहर शम्भो त्रिनयन

प्रसीदेत्याक्रोशन्निमिषमिष नेष्यामि दिवसान् ॥ १० ॥

475 कार्कश्यं स्तनयोर्दृशोस्तरलतालीकं मुखे स्थाप्यते

कौटिल्यं कक्षसंचये * प्रवचने मान्द्यं त्रिके स्थूलता ॥

भीरुत्वं हृदये सदैव कथितं * मायाप्रयोगः प्रिये

यासां दोषगणो गुणा मृगदृशां ताः * स्युः पशूनां प्रियाः

॥ ११ ॥

* कचिद्वीणावाद्यं कचिदपि च हाहेति रुदितं

480 कचिद्विद्वद्गोष्ठी कचिदपि सुरामत्तकलहः ॥

कचिद्रामा रम्याः कचिदपि गलत्कुष्ठवपुषो

न जाने संसारः किममृतमयः किं विषमयः ॥ १२ ॥

गात्रैर्गिरा च विकलभ्रदुमीश्वराणां

कुर्वन्नयं ग्रहंसनस्य नटः कृतोसि ॥

485 तं त्वां पुनः पलितकर्णकभाजमेनं

नाट्येन केन नटयिष्यति दीर्घमायुः ॥ १३ ॥

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चला लक्ष्मीश्चलाः प्राणाश्चलं जीवितयौवनम् ॥

चलाचले च संसारे धर्म एको हि निश्चलः ॥ १५ ॥

490 चूडोत्तंसितचारुचन्द्रकलिकाचञ्चलित्वाभासुरो
लीलादग्धविलोककामशलभः श्रेयोदशाम्रे स्फुरन् ॥

अन्तःस्फूर्जदपारमोहतिमिरप्राग्भारमुष्णदयं-

श्चेतःसन्नि योनिनां विजयते ज्ञानप्रदीपो हरः ॥ १६ ॥

चेतश्चिन्तय मा रमां सकृदिमामस्थायिनीमास्थया

495 * भूपालसुकुटीकुटीविहरणव्यापारपण्याङ्गनाम् ॥

कन्धाकञ्चुकिताः प्रविश्य भवनद्वाराणि धाराणसी-

रध्यापङ्क्तिषु पाणिपात्रपतितां भिक्षामपेक्षामहे ॥ १७ ॥

जातः कूर्मः स एकः * पृथुभुवनभरायार्पितं येन पृष्ठं

भ्राष्ट्र्यं जन्म ध्रुवस्य भ्रमाति नियमितं यत्र तेजस्विचक्रम् ॥

500 संजातव्यर्थपक्षाः परहितकरणे नोपरिष्ठाप्त चाधो

ब्रह्माण्डोदुम्बरान्तर्मशकधदपरे अन्तर्धो जातनष्टाः ॥ १८ ॥

तुङ्गं वेश्म सुताः सतामभिमताः संख्यातिगाः संपदः

कल्याणी दयिता वयश्च नवमित्यज्ञानमूढो जनः ॥

मत्वा विश्वमनश्चरं निविशते संसारकारागृहे

505 संदृश्य क्षणभङ्गुरं तदखिलं धन्यस्तु संन्यस्यति ॥ १९ ॥

ददतु ददतु गालीर्गालिमन्तो भवन्तो

वयमपि तदभावाद्गालिदानेऽसमर्थाः ॥

अगति विदितमेतद्दीयते विद्यमानं

न हि शशकविषाणं कोपि कस्मै ददाति ॥ २० ॥

510 दूरादर्थं घटयति नवं दूरतश्चापशब्दं

त्यक्त्वा भूयो भवति निरतः सत्सभारजनेषु ॥

मम्वं मम्वं रचयति पदं लोकचित्तानुवृत्त्या
कामं मन्त्रो कविरिव सदा खेदभारैरमुक्तः ॥ २१ ॥

न भिक्षा दुष्प्रापा पथि मम महारामरचिते
515 फलैः संपूर्णा * भूर्द्विपमृगसुचर्मापि वसनम् ॥
सुखैर्वा दुःखैर्वा सदृशपरिपाकः खलु तदा
त्रिनेत्रं कस्त्यक्त्वा धनलवमदान्धं प्रणमति ॥ २२ ॥

मो अङ्गप्रविदारिताः करटिनो नोद्वेजिता वैरिण-
स्तन्वङ्ग्या विपुले * नितम्बफलके न क्रीडितं लीलया ॥
520 मो जुष्टं गिरिराजनिर्झरक्षणज्ज्ञांकारकारं * पयः
कालोयं परपिण्डलोलुपतया काकैरिव प्रेरितः ॥ २३ ॥

परिभ्रमसि किं वृथा कंचन चित्त विश्राम्यतां
स्वयं भवति यद्यथा भवति तत्तथा नान्यथा ॥
अतीतमपि न स्मरन्नपि च भाव्यसंकल्पय-
525 * अतर्कितगमागमाननुभवस्व भोगानिह ॥ २४ ॥

पाणिं पात्रयतां निसर्गशुचिना मैक्षेण संतुष्यतां
यत्र कापि निषीदतां बहुतृणं विश्वं मुहुः पश्यताम् ॥
अत्यागेपि तनोरखण्डपरमानन्दावबोधस्पृहां
मर्त्यः कोपि शिवप्रसादसुलभां संपत्स्यते योगिनाम् ॥ २५ ॥

530 पातालाग्न विमोचितो बत बली नीतो न * मृत्युः क्षयं
नो मृष्टं शशिलाञ्छनं च मलिनं नोन्मूलिता व्याधयः ॥
शेषस्यापि धरां विधृत्य न कृतो भारावतारः क्षणं
चेतः * सत्पुरुषाभिमानमनिशं मिथ्या वहत्स्विद्यसे ॥ २६ ॥

1. 515 भूर्मृगविटपिचर्मापि; 1. 519 निबद्धफलके; 1. 520 वयः; 1. 525
अतर्कितसमागमा; 1. 530 मृत्युक्षयं; 1. 533 सत्पुरुषाभिमानपदवी मिथ्यैव
किं सिद्यसे.

प्रदान्तशास्त्रार्थविचारचापलं

535 निवृत्तनानारसकाव्यकौतुकम् ॥

निरस्तनिःशेषविकल्पविस्तरं

प्रपञ्चमन्विच्छति शंकरं मनः ॥ २७ ॥

फलं स्वेच्छालभ्यं प्रतिवनमखेदं क्षितिरुहां

पयः स्थाने स्थाने शिशिरमधुरं पुण्यसरिताम् ॥

540 मृदुस्पर्शा शय्या सुललितलतापल्लवमयी

सहन्ते संतापं तदपि धनिनां द्वारि कृपणाः ॥ २८ ॥

भव्यं * भक्तं ततः किं कदशितमथवा वासरान्ते ततः किं

कौपीनं वा ततः किं किमथ सितमहचाम्बरं वा ततः किम् ॥

एका भार्या ततः किं शतगुणगुणिता कोटिरेका ततः किं

545 त्वेको भ्रान्तस्ततः किं करितुरगशतैर्वेष्टितो वा ततः किम्

॥ २९ ॥

मिक्षा कामदुग्धा धेनुः कन्था शीतनिवारिणी ॥

अचला तु शिवे भक्तिर्विभवैः किं प्रयोजनम् ॥ ३० ॥

* भिक्षाहारमदैर्न्यमप्रतिसुखं भीतिच्छिदं सर्वदा

दुर्मात्सर्यमदाभिमानमथनं दुःखौघविध्वंसनम् ॥

550 सर्वत्रान्वहमप्रयत्नसुलभं साधुप्रियं पाषाणं

शम्भोः सत्रमवार्यमक्षयनिधिं शंसन्ति योगीश्वराः ॥ ३१ ॥

भूः पर्यङ्को निजभुजलता कन्दुकं खं वितानं

दीपश्चन्द्रो विरतिवनितालन्धसङ्गप्रमोदः ॥

* दिक्कान्ताभिः पवनचमरैर्वीज्यमानः समन्ता-

555 ज्जिह्वुः शेते नृप इव भुवि त्यक्तसर्वस्पृहोऽपि ॥ ३२ ॥

भोगास्तुङ्गतरङ्गभङ्गचपलाः प्राणाः क्षणध्वंसिनः

स्तोकाण्येव दिनानि यौवनसुखं प्रीतिः प्रियेष्वस्थिरा ॥

1. 542 भुक्तं ततः किं कदशनमथवा; 1. 548 °मदैर्न्यमप्रतिहतं भीति-
च्छिदं; 1. 554 दिक्कान्ताभिः.

* तत्संसारमसारमेव निखिलं बुद्ध्या * बुद्ध्या बोधका
लोकानुग्रहपेशलेन मनसा यत्नः समाधीयताम् ॥ ३३ ॥

560 यद्वक्त्रं मुहुरीक्षसे न धनिनां ब्रूवे न चादुं मृषा
नैषां गर्वगिरः शृणोषि न पुनः प्रत्याशया धावसि ॥
काले बालवृणानि खादसि सुखं निद्रासि निद्रागमे
तन्मे ब्रूहि कुरङ्ग कुत्र भवता किं नाम तप्तं तपः ॥ ३४ ॥

यन्नागा * मदवारिभिश्चकरटास्तिष्ठन्ति निद्रालसा
565 द्वारे हेमविभूषणाश्च तुरगा बलान्ति यद्वर्षिताः ॥
वीणावेणुमृदङ्गशङ्खपटहैः सुप्तस्तु यद्वोद्भयते
तत्सर्वं सुरलोकदेवसदृशं धर्मस्य विस्फूर्जितम् ॥ ३५ ॥

यां चिन्तयामि सततं मयि सा * विरक्ता
* साप्यन्यमिच्छति जनं स जनोऽन्यसक्तः ॥
570 अस्मत्कृते * च परिशुष्यति काचिदन्या
धिकं तां च तं च मदनं च इमां च मां च ॥ ३६ ॥

ये * संतोषनिरन्तरप्रमुदितास्तेषां न भिक्षा मुदो
ये त्वन्ये धनलोभसंकुलाधियस्तेषां न वृष्णा हता ॥
इत्थं कस्य कृते कृतः स विधिना * तादृक्पदं संपदां
575 स्वात्मन्येव समाप्तहेममहिमा मेरुर्न मे रोचते ॥ ३७ ॥

वर्णं सितं शिरसि वीक्ष्य शिरोरुहाणां
स्थानं जरापरिभवस्य * यदेव पुंसाम् ॥
आरोपितास्थिशकलं परिहृत्य यान्ति
चाण्डालकूपमिव दूरतरं तरुण्यः ॥ ३८ ॥

1. 558 तत्तत्सारमसारमेव; 1. 558 बुद्ध्या यौवने; 1. 564 मदमिन्नगण्ड-
करटा; 1. 568 न रक्ता; 1. 569 सा चान्य; 1. 570 अपि परितुष्यति;
1. 572 संतोषसुखप्रमोदमुदिता; 1. 574 तादृक्पतिः; 1. 577 तद्वेष पुंसाम्,
तदा पुमांसम्.

580 समारम्भा भग्नाः कति न कतिवारांस्तव पशो
 पिपासोस्तुच्छेऽस्मिन्द्रविणमृगतृष्णार्णवजले ॥
 तथापि प्रत्याशा विरमति न तेऽद्यापि शतधा
 न दीर्घं यच्चेतो नियतमशनिप्रावधदितम् ॥ ३९ ॥

संभोहयन्ति मदयन्ति विडम्बयन्ति
 585 निर्भर्त्सयन्ति रमयन्ति विषादयन्ति ॥
 एताः प्रविश्य सद्यं हृदयं नराणां
 किं नाम वामनयना न समाचरन्ति ॥ ४० ॥

सिंहो बली द्विरदशूकरमांसभोजी
 संघत्सरेण रतिमेति किलैकवारम् ॥
 590 पारावतः खरशिलाकणमात्रभोजी
 कामी भवत्यनुदिनं वद कोऽत्र हेतुः ॥ ४१ ॥

स्थितिः पुण्येऽरण्ये सह परिचयो हन्त हरिणैः
 फलैर्मैत्र्या घृतिः प्रतिनदि च तल्पानि दृषद् ॥
 इतीयं सामग्री भवति हरभक्ति स्पृहयतां
 595 वनं वा गेहं वा * सदृशमुपशान्तैकमनसाम् ॥ ४२ ॥

* स्वादिष्टं मधुनो घृताच्च * रसवद्यत्प्रस्रवत्यक्षरं
 दैवी वागमृतात्मनो रसवतस्तेनैव तृप्ता वयम् ॥
 कुक्षौ यावदिमे भवन्ति धृतये भिक्षाहृताः सक्तव-
 स्तावहास्यकृतार्जनैर्न हि धनैर्वृत्ति समीहामहे ॥ ४३ ॥

1. 595 सदृशमुपशान्त्यैक; 1. 596 स्वादिष्टं; 1. 596 रसवद्या प्रस्रव-

अक्षरं.

STANZA I.

According to Rhetoricians Bhartrihari's Nítishataka and his other two Shatakás are Kávyás of the पद्य class belonging to the श्रव्य variety. Kávyás are either गद्य or पद्य which are subdivided into दृश्य and श्रव्य. A Kávyá is variously defined, but the following definition may be taken as a comprehensive one :—रमणीयार्थप्रतिपादकः शब्दः काव्यम्. *Rasagangádhara*.

Sanskrit poets open their poems in three ways, either (1) by a benedictory passage, (2) by a salutation to the favourite Deity of the author or (3) by a brief indication of the main subject of the poem :—आशीर्नमस्किया वस्तुनिर्देशो वाऽपि तन्मुखम्.

Kávyádarsha.

It is also the general usage among Sanskrit poets to have a मङ्गलाचरण at the beginning of their writing, in which they invoke their favourite Deity to help them in their work. This they do by a direct appeal either to the Deity itself or to some of its attributes. Commentators are very particular as regards the necessity of a मङ्गलाचरण. If they fail to find a distinct invocation at the commencement of a poem, they even go the length of remarking that the poet must have had a mental invocation (मानसिक मङ्गलाचरण).

Bhartrihari has adopted the second method (नमस्किया) in opening his present poem and has for his मङ्गलाचरण a salutation to the attributes of his favourite Deity, Sadáshiva. The devotion of our poet to Sadáshiva can be seen in Stanzas 99 and 100 of Vairágyashataka and in the frequent references to that Deity.

In a Ms. recently discovered we read the following as the first verse of Nítishataka :—

युगादिदेवोप्ययुगादिदेवः पुरा द्वितीयोऽपि सदाद्वितीयः ॥

स पञ्चशाखोऽपि सहस्रशाखः सोऽमङ्गलो मङ्गलमातनोतु ॥ १ ॥

*Notes and explanation—दिक्काल०—दिक्काल = Space and time. आदि refers to गुण, धर्म &c. as well as to material objects which are themselves the recipients of गुण, धर्म &c. अनवच्छिन्न = unconditioned, undefined. अनन्त = Infinite. चिन्मात्र = Pure intelligence itself. मात्रं काल्पन्येऽवधारणे. Amara. *Limitation**

न विद्यते अन्तः यस्य तत्=अनन्तम्; चिदेव चिन्मात्रम् (मयूरव्यंसकादि समासः). दिक् कालश्च=दिक्कालौ; दिक्कालौ आदी येषां ते=दि० दयः, तैः अनवच्छिन्नं अत एव अनन्तं चिन्मात्रं मूर्तिः यस्य तस्मै=दि० चि० मूर्तये. This is an adjectival clause to the neuter noun तेजस्. The usual form of the dative of this clause would, therefore, be ०मूर्तिने; but ०मूर्तये can also be accounted for, since neuter adjectives ending in इ, उ, ऋ take optionally the corresponding forms of the masculine in the singulars of the instrumental, dative, ablative, genitive and locative as also in the duals of the last two e. g. धात्रा-धातृणा; धात्रे-धातृणे; अनादये-अनादिने &c.

तृतीयादिषु भाषितपुंस्कं पुंवद्बालवस्य. *Pāṇini* VII. i. 74.
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This compound may also be analysed as consisting of three adjectives दिक्कालायनवच्छिन्न, अनन्त and चिन्मात्रमूर्ति forming together a Karmadhāraya. Several commentators have taken मूर्ति as the principal member of a Bahuvrīhi compound, and all that precedes that word is made an adjective to it. We have, however, preferred to take चिन्मात्र as the principal member, since it is used to indicate one of the chief essences of the Divinity, and the previous portion as an adjective to it.

Commentators have taken दिक्काल०—च्छिन्नः; अनन्तः &c. in the masculine which, however, cannot be accounted for with the विशेष्य “तेजस्” in the neuter.

स्वानुभू०—स्वानुभूति=Self-perception. एक=Principal, chief.
एके मुख्यान्यकेवलाः *Amara.*

मान=प्रमाण=Basis, the means of knowing. मानं प्रमाणे प्रस्थादौ.

स्वानुभूतिरेव एकं मानं यस्य तस्मै=स्वा०मानाय.

Commentary of the Ms. V₁ dissolves this compound as:—

स्वकीयायाः अनुभूतेः अनुभवात् एकं मानं यस्य.

The Vedántins and chiefly the Sánkhyás recognise three means of arriving at a correct knowledge of things:—

प्रत्यक्षानुमानागमाः प्रमाणानि. *Pátunjaladarshana.*
while the Naiyáyikás add one more *viz.* उपमान,

प्रत्यक्षानुमानोपमानशब्दाः प्रमाणानि. *Nyáyadarshana.*

Different schools of philosophy have their own number of Pramánás; still all of them recognise प्रत्यक्षप्रमाण as the most important one.

Though the word अनुभूति is applicable to all the Pramánás, here it stands according to the Vedántins only for परोक्षानुभूति, or according to the Naiyáyikás for the मानसप्रत्यक्ष of आत्मा.

Mr. Telang adopts the reading स्वा०साराय and says, it is "susceptible of a two-fold interpretation, meaning either (a) to him who is the sole essence of self-knowledge, or (b) to him whose sole (or, perhaps, एक should be taken to mean principal here) essence is self-knowledge". He considers the former interpretation preferable, and observes that it "would refer to the doctrine of the unity of the Supreme and Individual soul, since what we know when we know ourselves truly is the Bramha". We have, however, taken स्वा०मानाय in our text, because स्वानुभूति is the best means of arriving at the final goal *viz.* perfect realisation of the Divinity. Instead of viewing the Divinity as the 'sole essence of self-perception,' it is preferable to say that it can be 'chiefly realised by means of self-perception' or in other words, the exact comprehension of the Divinity is the ultimate result arrived at by means of self-perception.

नमः=(*Indecli.*) Salutation. The words नमः, स्वस्ति &c. govern the dative. नमःस्वस्तिस्वाहास्वधालंब्यद्योगाच्च. *Pánini* II. iii. 16.

शान्तम् = Peaceful; शान्ति is one of the chief essences, as **तेजस्** also is, of the Divinity. **तेजस्** = Splendour, light.

Bhartrihari has identified his favourite Deity, Sadāshiva, with Bramha in this Stanza according to the Vedantic philosophy which looks upon peace, light, intelligence, infinity, indestructibility &c. as the forming essences of the Supreme Being.

The following extracts will illustrate the ideas of the Vedantic School on this subject :—

यं भान्तं चिद्वैकं क्षितिजलपवनादित्यचन्द्रादयो ये
भासा तस्यैव चानुप्रविरलगतयो भान्ति तस्मिन्वसन्ति ॥
विद्युत्पुञ्जोऽग्निसंघाऽप्युडुगणविततिर्भासयेत्किं परंशं
ज्योतिः शान्तं. अनन्तं कविमजममरं शाश्वतं जन्मशून्यम् ॥ १ ॥

Vedāntakesari.

देशकालान्यवस्तूनां कल्पितत्वाच्च मायया ॥

न देशादिकृतोऽन्तोऽस्ति ब्रह्मानन्त्यं स्फुटं तथा ॥ १ ॥

Panchadashi, Panchakosha.

In connexion with this idea may be compared Gregory Nyssen's description (which we extract from Mr. Telang's notes) of the Divine Nature quoted by Mr. Mansel in his "Philosophy of the Conditioned." "It is neither in place nor in time, but before these and above these in an unspeakable manner, contemplated itself by itself, through faith alone, neither measured by ages, nor moving along with times."

Cudworth's Intellectual System has the following description of the Divinity :—

"A perfect conscious understanding being existing for itself from eternity and the cause of all other things."

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Metre—अनुष्टुप्—

श्लोके षष्ठं गुरु ज्ञेयं सर्वत्र लघु पञ्चमम् ॥ द्विचतुःपादयोर्द्वैस्व सप्तमं दीर्घमन्ययोः ॥ १ ॥

Translation.—Salutation to the peaceful light, whose form is only pure intelligence unlimited and unconditioned by space, time &c., and the principal means of knowing which is self-perception.

II.

Notes and Explanation:—This sloka is supposed to have been the outcome of the feelings of disgust in the mind of Bhartrihari at the discovery of infidelity on the part of his wife. It is said a Bráhmaṇ came by a fruit which conferred immortality on him who ate it. He gave it to Bhartrihari who handed it to his wife. She bestowed it on her paramour who made a gift of it to a sweetheart of his, and Bhartrihari saw this fruit in the hands of the last. This legend has been current in almost all parts of India. In one of the Mss: marked V a stanza is found preceding the present one. It stands as under:—

योगिन्द्रेण फले प्रदत्तमजरामृत्याय यस्मै पुनः
 राश्यै भर्तृहरेण दत्तमनया वंठाय कस्मै ददे ॥
 वंठेनादित हीनपुण्ययुवतौ विप्राय वारन्ध्रिया
 विप्रेणाऽपि तदेव दैववशतो राज्ञे प्रदत्तं पुनः ॥ १ ॥

In this Stanza the construction of the first line is neither clear nor grammatically accurate; and we are inclined to think that the Stanza has been an interpolation by the scribe, and not to be Bhartrihari's own. There is also a disagreement about the return of the fruit in the legend and the stanza; but the fact remains all the same that some kind of impression with regard to domestic intrigue, the cause of Bhartrihari's disgust of the world, was popular even when the Ms. V. was written.

मयि—Words signifying love, attachment, respect &c. govern the locative of the person or thing for whom these feelings are shown. **अन्यसक्तः**—अन्यस्यां सक्तः अ० सक्तः. According to the ordinary formation of compounds this ought to have become **अन्यासक्तः**; but by the Vártika सर्वनाम्नो वृत्तिमात्रे पुंवद्भावः, pronouns, though standing for feminine nouns, take the masculine form in compounds and other Vrittis.

Cf. अनन्यभाजं पतिमाप्नुहीति. *Kumār* III. 63.

कृते = (*Indecli.*) For, for the sake of. This is generally compounded with another word, as काव्यं यशसे ऽर्थकृते. When not so compounded it governs the genitive.

cf. N. 6.139.2

Cf. अमीषां प्राणानां कृते. *Vairāgya*. 36.

6. परिशुष्यति—Looking at the general context, we are inclined to the reading परिशुष्यति in preference to परितुष्यति. The latter is explained to mean “is delighted with all that I do”. It is more natural for a woman in love to pine for her lover than to be merely delighted at his doings. काचित्—A certain (woman); चित्, चन, अपि and sometimes स्विच् added to interrogative pronouns and adverbs give them the sense of indefinite pronouns, as न कश्चिच्चण्डकोपानाम्. *Nīti* 57. कदाचिदपि पर्यटन्. *Nīti* 5.

धिक् = (*Indecli.*) Fie: Governs the accusative.

Cf. धिगिमां देहभृतामसारताम्. *Raghu*.

च इमां—The two words च and इमां have not here been joined according to the rules of Sandhi, which is permissible under the ruling :—

संहितकपदे नित्या नित्या धातूपसर्गयोः ॥

नित्या समासे वाक्ये तु सा विवक्षामपेक्षते ॥ *Siddh. Kau*.

Sandhi must invariably be done in all grammatical forms, between *Upasargus* and *Dhātus*, as well as in compounds, but grammarians leave it to the option of an author to make a Sandhi in composition. Rhetoricians, however, look upon words not joined by the rules of Sandhi as a defect and call it विसान्धदोष.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. उक्ता वसन्ततिलका तभजा जगौ गः The pause is after the 8th syllable.

Translation :—That woman about whom I constantly meditate has no affection for me. She, however, yearns after another who is attached to some one else; while a certain woman pines away for me. Fie on her, on him, on the God of Love, on that woman and on myself.

III.

Notes and Explanation:—अज्ञः=Ignorant. जानातीति ज्ञः ; न ज्ञः, अज्ञः. विशेषज्ञः—विशेषं जानातीति, वि०-ज्ञः. सुखम् and सुखतरम्= Easily and more easily ; used as *adverbs*. ज्ञानलव०—ज्ञानस्य लवः ज्ञा०-लवः; दुष्टं यथा स्यात्तथा विदग्धः दुर्विदग्धः; ज्ञानलवेन दुर्विदग्धः ज्ञा०-दग्धः; दुर्विदग्ध is explained as arrogant. Com. V₁ has कदाग्रहप्रस्त i. e. filled with foolish obstinacy : it is paraphrased by some by the word दुश्चतुर=imperfectly (*lit* : badly) clever or educated.

A number of Mss. insert तं in the last line and read ब्रह्माऽपि तं नरं न रञ्जयति. It is also heard recited by Hardāsās and others in the same way ; but it is incorrect according to the rules of prosody.

Metre—आर्या.

यस्याः प्रथमे पादे द्वादश मात्रास्तथा तृतीयेऽपि ॥

अष्टादश द्वितीये चतुर्थके पञ्चदश साऽऽर्या ॥ *Shrutabodha*.

The last *Charana* ought not, therefore, to consist of more than 15 *Mātrās*. If the तं be inserted, the line comes to consist of 16 *Mātrās*. As it stands in the text it contains only 14 *Mātrās*, but the last syllable here can be taken to be long by the rule पादान्तगोऽपि दा. and thus the 15 *Mātrās* made up.

Translation:—An ignorant man can be easily propitiated, a wise man can still more easily be propitiated ; but even Brahṁā cannot please him who is puffed up with a little knowledge.

IV.

Notes and Explanation. प्रसह्य (*Indecli.*) = Forcibly.

मकर०—दंष्ट्राङ्कुर=tip of the fang. मकरस्य वक्त्रं; तस्य दंष्ट्रा, म०-दंष्ट्रा;

तस्याः अङ्कुरः, तस्मात्-म०-दं०-ङ्कुरात्. Some Mss. read मकरवक्त्रदंष्ट्रान्तरात्=

From within the cavity formed by the fangs in the mouth of a crocodile. प्रचल०—ऊर्मीणां मालाः, ऊ०-मालाः; प्रचलन्त्यश्च ताः

ऊर्मिमालाश्च, प्र०-मालाः; ताभिः आकुलः, तम्-प्रच०-कुलम्. Com. V₁ has प्रचलन्तः ये ऊर्मयः तेषां मालाभिः आकुलः. प्रतिनि०—प्रतिनिविष्ट=Perverse, obstinate. मूर्खश्चासौ जनश्च, मू०-जनः; तस्य चित्तं, मू०-चित्तम्; प्रतिनिविष्टं च तत् मू०-चित्तं च, प्र०-चित्तम्. Com. V₁ has प्रतिनिविष्टोऽसौ मूर्खजनश्च तस्य चित्तम्. पुष्पवत्—पुष्पेण तुल्यम् = Like a flower. The affix वत् is joined to nouns in the sense of तेन तुल्यं 'equally with' when the equality refers to action.

तेन तुल्यं क्रिया चेद्वतिः *Pāṇini*. $\frac{V. i. 15.}{1778}$

Metre-पृथ्वी-जसौ जसयला वसुग्रहयतिश्च पृथ्वी गुरुः The pause is after the 8th syllable.

Translation:—One may forcibly recover a jewel from the tip of the fang of a crocodile, he may even swim across the sea (whose waters are) agitated by a series of waves in motion, he may as well wear an excited serpent on his head as if it were a flower; but he cannot win over the perverse mind of a fool.

V.

Notes and Explanation:—यत्नतः—तस् is added to words belonging to the आदि class in the sense of the instrumental, ablative, locative &c. by the Vārtik आद्यादिभ्य उपसंख्यानम्. *Siddh. Kau.* for further explanation *vide* note on St. 10. पीडयन् = Pressing or squeezing together. मृगतृष्णिका—मृगाणां तृष्णा यस्यां सा, मृ० तृष्णा; सैव मृगतृष्णिका=a mirage; a phenomenon noticeable in the sandy tracts of the tropical regions. शशविषाण = The horn of the hare; an impossibility. वन्ध्यासुत, स्त्रपुष्प, मृगतृष्णाजल and शशशृङ्ग are "expressions most in use to signify things which do not exist" *vide Vairāgya*. Misc. St. 20. प्रतिनिविष्ट०— *vide* note on St. 4. सिकतासु तैलम् and मृगतृष्णिकासु सलिलम्—we have given the ordinary meaning of these phrases in the translation. These however, can be looked upon as compound phrases,

the सु going with तैल and सलिल meaning 'Excellent oil could be extracted *from* sand and one troubled with thirst could drink first class water *from off* the mirage.' This interpretation, perhaps, heightens the force of the arguments and preserves the प्रक्रम in the verse: The compounds in this case are to be dissolved as सिकतानां सुतैलम् and मृगतृष्णिकायाः सुसलिलम्.

Metre—पृथ्वी. *vide* St.4.

Translation:—A man may get even oil from sand by strenuous pressure; when oppressed by thirst he may drink water from the mirage; he may perchance even come across the horn of a hare in [his] wanderings; but he can never win the obstinate mind of a fool.

VI.

Notes and Explanation:—व्याल—This word means both a wild elephant and a serpent. व्यालो दुष्टगजे सर्पे *Medint.* The former is preferable as it heightens the beauty of the Alankār. Besides, a serpent is hardly heard of being tied by any thing while an elephant is always secured by chains.

Cf. न भवति विसतन्तुर्वारणं वारणानाम्. *Nīti* 17.

For a similar idea,

शब्दशाल्मनधीत्य यः पुमान्वक्तुमिच्छति वचः सभान्तरे
बद्धुमिच्छति वने मदेत्कटं हस्तिनं कमलनालतन्तुना ॥ १ ॥

बालम्—बालं च तत् मृणालं च बा०—मृणालं; तस्य तन्तवः, तैः—
बा०—मृ०—तन्तुभिः

रोधुम्—The Sanskrit Infinitive is formed by the addition of तुम् to the root and is used when one action is being done for another: thus it shows motive or purpose of an action and corresponds to the English 'Infinitive of purpose.'

तुमुष्वलौ क्रियायां क्रियार्थायाम्. *Pāṇini* III. iii. 10.
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It is also used with verbs meaning 'to be able, to be bold, to know, to be wearied, to strive, to begin, to get, to set about,

Metre—इन्द्रवज्रा—स्यादिन्द्रवज्रा यदि तौ जगौ गः Pause after the 5th syllable.

Translation.—The creator has produced for ignorance, a cover which is within one's own control and which is certain in its efficacy. In the assembly of the well-versed, silence specially becomes the ornament of the ignorant.

VIII.

किञ्चिज्ज्ञः=Knowing a little. Mr. Telang takes यदाकिञ्चिज्ज्ञः equal to यदा अकिञ्चिज्ज्ञः to mark distinctly the contrast with the third line. There is hardly any necessity of doing so. The repetition of the किञ्चित् in that line by itself indicates a progress and therefore a continued addition to the stock of knowledge. *Vide* note on किञ्चित् *infra*. We prefer किञ्चिज्ज्ञः for there is a greater possibility of a man who knows only a little to be blinded by pride than for one who knows nothing.

Cf. "A little learning is a dangerous thing." *Pope*.

"उयळ पाण्याला खळाळी फार." and

"ज्ञानलवदुर्विदग्धः" *St. 3. supra*.

द्विप—द्व्याभ्यां (मुखेन शुग्धया च) पिबतीति द्विपः. मद=The rut of an elephant; pride or arrogance. अवलिप्त=Proud. **किञ्चि**—The repetition here of किञ्चित् shows continuous acquisition of knowledge. नित्यवीप्सयोः *Pāṇini* VIII. i. 4 i. e. words are repeated when they are intended to show excessiveness, frequency, succession or continuity of actions or things.

Some Commentators construe the last line as तदा मूर्खोऽस्मीति मम मनः अभवत्. This is far fetched. It has been taken by some as ज्वरे इव मे मदः व्यपगतः but this does not appear satisfactory; for, we find the poet comparing मद to ज्वर in various places. *e. g.* क एष मदज्वरः *Vairāgya* 23 and दर्पज्वरभरः *St. 29* of the same. We

would construe the line as तदा मूर्खोऽस्मीति (अवगत्या) ज्वर इव मे मदः व्यपगतः taking अवगत्या as 'understood' from the context. ज्वर इव मदः—Just as fever is not confined to any particular portion of the body but affects the whole of it, so also pride deranges the whole of the mental system.

Alankāra—उपमा—उपमा यत्र सादृश्यलक्ष्मीरुल्लसति द्वयोः i. e. A comparison is one in which the beauty of similarity between the two objects of comparison sparkles out.

In the first line there is पूर्णोपमा or complete comparison and in the last line there is लुप्तोपमा.

Metre—शिखरिणी. रसिरुद्रैश्छिन्ना यमनसभला गः शिखरिणी. The pause is after the 6th syllable.

Translation—When I knew but a little, I was blinded by pride as an elephant is blinded by rut from excitement and my mind was puffed up with the idea that I knew everything. When, however, I gradually gained knowledge through the contact of the wise I found I was a fool; and the pride, which had possessed me like fever, left me.

IX.

Notes and explanation :—कृमि०—कृमीणां कुलैः चितम्. कुल=Swarm, cluster. चितं=Filled. लाला०—क्लिन्न=Moistened; covered with saliva. विगन्धि—Grammatically it ought to be विगन्धम् (विरुद्धः गन्धः यस्य तत् Bahu:). This is one of those forms which, though often met with in classic literature, are not easily reconcilable by grammar. As such they form knotty points for grammarians. The word as it stands in the text cannot be a Bahuvrihi compound because, गन्धस्येदुत्पत्तिसुसुराभिभ्यः *Pāṇini* V. iv. 135. 874., गन्ध at the end of a Bahuvrihi compound becomes गन्धि when preceded by the words उत्, पत्ति, सु, सुराभि, e. g. उद्गन्धिः &c. The prefix वि is not included in the words

enumerated above nor does it come under the Sūtras उपमानाच्च, अल्पाख्यायां &c. We must therefore look upon the word विगन्धि to be merely an adjective formed from the word विगन्ध by the addition of the possessive suffix इन्, and ought to analyse it as विरुद्धः गन्धः विगन्धः, सोऽस्यास्तीति विगन्धि. This, too, is not quite satisfactory because wherever the required sense of a phrase can be secured by a Bahuvrihi there is no necessity of adding affixes showing possession, न कर्मधारयान्मत्वर्थीयो बहुव्रीहिश्चेत्तदर्थप्रतिपत्तिकरः. Mallinātha accounts for तुल्यगन्धि (*Raghu* IV. 47) by looking upon it as an इन्नन्तबहुव्रीहि. जुगुप्सितम्—(past par: from the root गुप्)=Disgusting, abominable. Generally सन् (स्) is added to a root to convey the sense of desire with regard to the root-meaning, and the root is reduplicated before it. A few roots however such as गुप्, तिज् &c., do not take the सन् in the above sense but in some special meaning of the root itself, their desiderative base being formed by adding another सन्; thus गुप् takes सन् in the sense of censure and forms its primitive base जुगुप्स्. निरुपमरसम्—निर्गता उपमा यस्मात् सः निरुपमः, निरुपमः रसः यास्मिन् कर्मणि यथा भवति तथा नि०—रसम्; taken separately as an adverbial clause to खादन् meaning 'eats with unparalleled relish', it makes a better sense (and no less than 8 Mss. have it) than निरुपमरसप्रीत्या. निरामिषम्=without flesh, devoid of flesh. परिग्रह = the thing possessed, a possession. फल्युता = Worthlessness.

Alankāra—अर्थान्तरन्यास. सामान्यं वा विशेषो वा तदन्येन समर्थ्यते ॥ यत्र सोऽर्थान्तरन्यासः साधर्म्येणेतरेण वा ॥ *K. Pra.*

When a general or a particular statement is strengthened by its opposite, either under a resemblance or its opposite, that is (termed) corroboration. In this verse the callousness of a dog is supported by the general proposition of a low creature gloating over its possession of even an insignificant thing.

Metre—हरिणी. नसमसला गः षड्वेदैर्हयैर्हरिणी मता. The pause is after the 6th and then after the 4th syllable.

Translation—A dog, even if he sees the lord of the Heavens (Indra) standing by him, hesitates not to devour with unparalleled relish and delight a human bone though it be destitute of flesh, full of clusters of vermin emitting a loathsome stench, be disgusting and covered with saliva. Verily a mean man gives no thought to the worthlessness of what he has come by.

X

Notes and Explanation—शार्चम् (*adj.*)—शर्वस्येदम् = of Shiva. पशु०—पशुपतिः—पशूनां जीवानां पतिः = Lord of the animal world. The word पशु according to the Páshupatas means a soul. पशुपतेः शिरसः इति प०—शिरस्तः. It is an indeclinable. When तस् is added to nouns it gives them the sense of the Ablative and the phrase becomes an adverbial one; but phrases thus formed cannot be used with the root रुह् and हा to abandon. This तस् should not be confounded with the तस् in यत्नतः St. 5 *supra* which is सार्वविभक्तिक. क्षितिधरम्—धरतीति धरः, क्षित्याः धरः क्षि०—धरः and not क्षितिं धरतीति.

Some Mss. read the first line शिरः शर्वं स्वर्गात्पतति शिरसस्तत्क्षितिधरम्. Here तत्क्षितिधरम् = सचाऽसौ क्षितिधरश्च तम् *i. e.* ' to that well known mountain.' The force of तत् is not quite apparent and it breaks the symmetry of construction. An endeavour has been made by Krishna Shastree to take तत् equal to तस्मात् to go with शिरसः meaning ' from that head ' but we are not aware of the use of तत् in the sense of तस्मात् as a pronoun in the Ablative case going with a noun in that case.

Whenever a gradual progress is indicated step by step, it is usual to repeat the word shewing the previous stage or use its equivalent at the commencement of the next one.

Cf. दारिद्र्याद्धियमेति ह्रीपरिगतः सत्वात्परिभ्रश्यते
निःसत्त्वः परिभूयते परिभवान्निर्वंदमापद्यते.

निर्विण्णः शुचमेति शोकनिहतो बुध्या परित्यज्यते

निबुद्धिः क्षयमेत्यहो निधनता सर्वापदामास्पदम् ॥ *Mrichha. I.*

A similar arrangement is followed in this Stanza. The reading adopted in the text therefore makes a better sense. **महीध्रात्**—महीं धारयतीति महीध्रः. मही+६+the affix क added under the rule कप्रकरणे मूलविभुजादिभ्यः उपसंख्यानम्. **अधो**—This line is to be construed इयं गङ्गा अधोधः स्तोकं पदमुपगता i. e. this Ganges has come to an insignificant position by going down lower and lower. This reading clearly indicates the gradual descent of the Ganges step by step, and conveys a more vivid idea. The words **उपरि अधि** and **अधस्** are repeated to convey the sense of gradual continuous progress **उपर्यध्यधसः सामीप्ये** *Pāṇini VIII. i. 7*
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The reading **अधो गङ्गा सेयं** &c. can be construed as **सा इयं गङ्गा अधः स्तोकं पदं उपगता** 'that same Ganges has come down to such a low position.' **स्तोकम्**=Insignificant, or little. **अथवा**=It is no wonder. **शतमुखः** "applies literally to the fall of the river and to that of the man who is lost to all sense of right and wrong. It applies in the sense of 'a variety of ways.' " *Telang.*

A full account of the passage of **गङ्गा** from the Heavens to the sea is given in the *Rāmāyana*. "How Bhagīratha got the Ganges to Shiwa's head, thence to the Himālaya, thence to the nether world and how her waters sanctified the off-spring of Sagara is well-known."

Alankāra—**अर्थान्तरन्यासः**. *Vide* St. 9. and also **पर्यायः**. **पर्यायो यदि पर्यायेणैकस्यानेकसंश्रयः** *Kuwal.* The general proposition about the fall of a **विवेकभ्रष्ट** is strengthened by the particular one viz. the descent of the Ganges and hence there is **अर्थान्तरन्यासः**. There is **पर्याय** because the Stanza contains a narration of the Ganges resorting to several places.

Metre—**शिखरिणी**. *Vide* St. 8.

Translation—The Ganges falls from Heaven on the head

of Shiva, from the head of Shiva to the mountain, from that lofty mountain to the earth and from thence to the ocean. Thus falling lower and lower has this river come to an insignificant position : what wonder, in a variety of ways comes about the fall of those who are lost to all sense of right or wrong.

XI.

Notes and Explanation :—**धारयितुम्**—For the use of the Infinitive with the root शक्, see note on रोधुम् St. 6. **हुतभुक्**—हुतं भुङ्क्ते इति=Fire. **निशिताङ्कुरा**=A sharp hook. **भेषजसंग्रहैः**=By taking medicines in the right way. **शास्त्राविहितम्**=Laid down by the Shàstràs. We do not see the propriety of the word शास्त्र here.

Metre—**शार्दूलविक्रीडित**. See St. 6.

Translation—Fire can be quenched by water, the heat of the sun can be warded off by an umbrella, a wild elephant can be controlled by a sharp hook, a bull or a donkey by a cudgel ; illness (can be got over) by taking medicines in the proper way, and poison can be eradicated by the use of various charms. A remedy has been ordained by the Shàstràs for everything, but there is no medicine for a fool.

XII.

Notes and Explanation :—**साहि**—Two interpretations are possible of this compound. सङ्गीतस्य कला स० कला, साहित्यं च स० कला च ताभ्यां विहीनः or साहित्यं च सङ्गीतं च कलाश्च, ताभिः विहीनः (1) Devoid of literature and the art of music (2) Devoid of literature, music and the arts. For Kalàs see St. 101 *infra*. **सादन्**—*pre. part.* It is used here to show cause i. e. the means of existence; लक्षणहेत्वोः क्रियायाः *Pānini* III. iii. 126. **जीवमानः**—This

must not be confounded with the *Atm: pre. part.* which is formed by the affix शानच् (आन), because जीव् is Parasmaipadi. This is a special form by the Sutra ताच्छील्यवयोवचनशक्तिषु चानश्. *Pāṇini* III. ii. 129 i. e. 'चानश् (आन) is affixed to roots to indicate disposition or habit, a particular standard of age, or capacity to do a thing.' The present participle refers to present time, the form by the addition of the affix चानश् however is not restricted to any particular time and the affix can be added to both *Pars.* and *Atm.* roots while शानच् to only *Atm.* roots. भागधेयम्—भाग एव भागधेयम्=Lot; fortune. धेय is a Taddhit affix added to the nouns भाग, रूप, and नाम without making any change in the original meaning.

Metre—उपजाति—स्यादिन्द्रवज्रा यदि तौ जगौ गः उपेन्द्रवज्रा प्रथमे लघौ सा ॥ अनन्तरोदीरितलक्ष्मभाजौ पादौ यदीयावुपजातयस्ताः ॥ १ ॥

Alankāra—रूपक-विषयभेदताद्रूप्यरञ्जनं विषयस्य यत् ॥ रूपकं तस्त्रिधाधिक्यन्यूनत्वानुभयोक्तिभिः ॥ *Kuval.* In the stanza the identity between man and beast is established by the word साक्षात् and the deficiency in the case of man is expressed by the phrase पुच्छविषाणहीनः hence the *Alankāra* is न्यूनाभेदरूपक (one of the subdivisions of रूपक).

Translation.—A person destitute of literature, music or the arts is a very beast except that he has no tail or horns. That such a one lives and that too without eating grass is the good fortune of the beasts.

XIII.

Notes and Explanation:—विद्या-विदन्ति अनया इति विद्या (व्याकरणमीमांसादिः)=Learning; see St. 101 *infra*. ज्ञान=Knowledge. शील=Good conduct, virtuous career. शीलं स्वभावे सदृते *Amar.* Stanzas 49 and 109 *infra* may be referred to in connection with the sense in which Bhartrihari uses this word. Mr. Telang remarks that the word is very common in Buddhistic literature.

धर्म = Duty. **मर्त्यलोके** is to be construed with **चरन्ति**. **भार-भूताः**—Three different meanings of this phrase are possible owing to the numerous senses in which the word **भूत** can be used. (1) **भारभूताः**—**भाराः भूताः भार भूताः** (**सुप्सुप् समास**). Who have become burden to the earth Cf. **प्रत्यर्थिभूतामपि तां समाधेः Ku-mār. I. 59.** and see Mallināth's commentary thereon. (2) **भारैः भूताः** (**समाः**) who are like burden to the earth. (3) **भाराणां भूताः** (**उचिताः**) **भार भूताः** fit for burden. **भूतं × × × त्रिषूचिते ॥ प्राप्ते वृत्ते समे सत्ये Medinī. मनुष्यरूपेण**—The instrumental is used here to show identity. **मृगाः** = Beasts. **मृगः पशं कुरङ्गे च Medinī.** The reading **न चापि शीलं** though met with in only a few Mss., is preferable because it obviates the necessity of finding a distinction between **विद्या** and **ज्ञान** and that of supplying the indeclinable **न** before **ज्ञान**.

Alankāra—रूपक—तद्रूपकमभेदोय उपमानोपमेययोः **K. Pra.** Metaphor is that in which there is identity between the thing compared and the thing compared to. In this Stanza there is identity between beast and man. See St. 12.

Metre—उपजाति—Vide St. 12 supra.

Translation—Those who have neither learning nor penance nor liberality nor knowledge nor good conduct nor virtue nor the observance of duties, pass their life in this world of mortals like beasts in human form and are mere encumbrances to the earth.

XIV.

Notes and Explanation:—वरम्—Some look upon this word as a noun always in the neuter gender meaning **मनाक्प्रिय**. **देवादृते. वरः श्रेष्ठे त्रिषु क्लृबं मनाक्प्रिये. Amar.** Others look upon it as an indeclinable **मनागिष्टे वरं क्लृबं केचिदाहुस्तदव्ययं. Medinī.** **वरं** with **न** generally followed by **च, तु** or **पुनः** is used in the sense of 'better-

than 'better-but not,' to express preference, वरं being used with the clause containing the thing preferred, and the न च &c. with the clause containing the thing to which the first thing is preferred." Apte. पर्व०—दुर्गम्=A difficult place दुःखेन गच्छति अत्र. When the Upsargas सु, and दुर् are prefixed to the root गम् it takes in the sense of अधिकरण (place) the affix ड (अ) before which the अम् of the root is dropped. सुदुरोरधिकरणे Vārtik on III. ii. 48
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भ्रान्तम्—Par : abs: noun. Cf. गतं तिरश्चीनमनूसारये: Māgha I. 2. Participial abstract nouns which are formed from roots by the affix त are in the neuter gender. It may be mentioned that the past participle formed by the addition of त to the root may be used as a noun, verb or an adjective.

Cf. अवसितं हसितं प्रसितं मुदा विलसितं हसितं स्मरभासितं ॥

न समदाः प्रमदा हतसंमदाः पुरहितं विहितं न समीहितम् ॥१॥ Bhatti V. 6.
वनचरैः—वने चरन्तीति वनेचराः or वनचराः The former is the more usual form. तत्पुरुषे कृति बहुलम् Pānini VI. iii. 14
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Metre—अनुष्टुप्. vide St. 1.

Translation—Better to roam with the wild ones in difficult mountain passes than to live in the mansions of the Lord of the gods (Indra) in company of a fool.

XV.

Notes and Explanation:—शास्त्रो०—शास्त्रेण उपस्कृताः शब्दाः, ते: सुन्दरा गी: येषां ते, शा०—गिरः. उपस्कृत = अलंकृत Beautified, ornamented; past parti: from कृ with उप. The augment सुद् (स्) comes in according to the Sutra उपात्प्रति यत्नवैकृतवाक्याध्याहारेषु च (चात् भूषणे समवायेच) Pānini VI. i. 139. शिष्य०—शिष्येभ्यः प्रदेयः
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आगमः येषां ते. It is better to take प्रदेय in the sense of प्रदातुं योग्य: 'fit to be imparted' instead of दत्त 'given' as taken by Rāmarshi (Telang's notes). आगम = Learning. कथयः = Learn-

ed men. संख्यावान् पण्डितः कविः *Amar.* हि = Because, since. कुपरीक्षकाः = Bad examiners कुत्सिताः परीक्षकाः कुपरीक्षकाः. कुगति-
प्रादयः *Pāninī* II. ii. 18. $\frac{761}{}$ The particle कु is always compounded
with a noun to impart to it the sense of कुत्सित or deprecation. ईश्वर = Powerful, respected or rich. जगन्मान्यः समर्थो वा. Cf. *Vairā-
gya* St. 59 for the use of this word in the sense of rich. कुत्स्याः
Pot: Par: from the root कुत्स् to despise. अर्घ्य = Value. मूल्ये पूजा-
विधा अर्घ्यः *Amar.* The use of यस्य in the second line is peculiar.
We do not meet with the use of the pronoun यत् without its cor-
relative तत् although the latter is often met with singly. The
last line is to be construed यैः मणयः अर्घतः पातिताः ते कुपरीक्षकाः
कुत्स्याः स्युः, न मणयः

Alankāra—विरोधाभास with दृष्टान्त. आभासत्वे विरोधस्य
विरोधाभास इष्यते ॥ चेद्विम्बप्रतिबिम्बत्वं दृष्टान्तस्तदलङ्कृतिः ॥ *Kurval.*

In the Stanza the semblance of incongruity (विरोधाभास),
is indicated by saying that poets are rich although not pos-
sessed of wealth; and the incongruity is reconciled by the
double meaning of the word ईश्वर. Likewise दृष्टान्त or exemplifi-
cation arises in consequence of the reflective representation of
जाड्य and कुत्स्यता.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See St. 6.

Translation—When learned men of celebrity, whose speech
adorned with words polished by the Shāstrās (grammar &c.)
and whose learning is fit to be imparted to pupils, have to live
in poverty in the kingdom of a prince, then that betrays the
folly of the ruler, for the learned are respected even without
wealth. If jewels are priced lower than their due worth the
blame attaches to the incompetent examiners and not to the
jewels.

XVI.

Notes and Explanation:—गोचरम्—गावः (इन्द्रियाणि) चर-

न्ति अस्मिन् (see *Pāṇini* III. iii. 119) = The range wherein the
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 organs of senses have their working. गोचरा इन्द्रियार्थश्च *Amar.*
 किमपि—अपि when affixed to किं sometimes gives it the sense
 of indescribable. शं = A particle meaning happiness, welfare.
 पुष्णाति = Promotes, imparts. प्रतिपाद्यमान = Being imparted,
 प्रतिपादनं तु दाने प्रतिपत्तौ प्रबोधने *Medint.* कल्पान्त = कल्प = Universal
 destruction. संवर्तः प्रलयः कल्पः क्षयः कल्पान्त इत्यपि *Amar.* Mr. Telang
 takes the phrase to mean literally 'end of a Kalpa' but it ap-
 pears to be used more in its figurative sense instead of an exact
 period. निधन = Destruction. विद्या = Learning, knowledge. Ac-
 cording to Hindu theory the knowledge acquired in one birth
 passes on to the next, विद्याकुलजबधूरिव जहाति नो जन्मजन्मापि. तान्प्र-
 ति—प्रति governs the accusative. मान = Pride, high sense of one's
 own greatness. उज्जत—*Imp.* of उज्ज् (6th Conj: Pars:) to give
 up. Construe भो नृपाः तान्प्रति मानमुज्जत. The reading of the text
 as well as the one at the foot सर्वदाप्यर्थिभ्यः &c. are more or less
 defective. The first has no अपि or its equivalent and therefore
 falls short in the probable force of expression. In the second
 the construction is involved and far-fetched.

Alankāra—विरोधाभास. See Stanza 15. This *Alankāra*
 arises in the Stanza in consequence of the mention of the ap-
 parent incongruity in the increase of the stock of knowledge
 notwithstanding its being freely given; the incongruity, how-
 ever, is reconciled by the inherent nature of learning.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. vide St. 6.

Translation—Oh Kings! cast off your pride before those
 who possess the secret treasure of wisdom—a treasure which
 comes not within the scope of the thief, which always imparts
 indescribable happiness, which largely increases even though
 constantly given to those who desire it and which is not des-
 troyed even at the time of universal destruction. Who can
 compete with such persons?

XVII.

Notes and Explanation :—अधि०—परमार्थ= Philosophical knowledge, true knowledge. अधिगतः परमार्थः यैः तान्, अ०—परमार्थान्. पण्डितान्—see St. 7. मावमंस्थाः—मा—The augment of the aorist of a verb is usually cut off after the particle मा. In the 1st and 3rd persons the forms with the augment thus cut off acquire the sense of *that* with *may* or *might* and in the 2nd person the forms get the sense of the Imperative. अवमंस्थाः—Imp : 2nd per : sing : of the Aorist of मन् with अव. (to disregard) with the augment cut off. लघु—This is to be construed with तृणमिव, and the phrase is to be लघुतृणमिव लक्ष्मीः. Some construe it as तृणमिव लघुलक्ष्मीः but it is grammatically faulty. The first too, is not quite free from defect inasmuch as लघु which expresses the common property does not agree in gender with both the objects whose common property it expresses; this, however, is not as great a fault as the former. Some commentators construe तृणमिव with मावमंस्थाः but it interferes with the Alankāra in the Stanza. संरुणद्धि—3rd person sing. of the present of रुध् with सं. अभि०—अग्निवत्त्रासौ मद्दश्च, तस्य लेखा तथा श्यामानि गण्डस्थलानि येषाम्. वारणम्=The means of restraining see St. 7. वारणानाम्—वारण= an elephant. मतङ्गजो गजो नागः कुञ्जरो वारणः करी. *Amar.*

Alankāra—प्रतिवस्तूपमा—वाक्ययोरेकसाप्तान्वे प्रतिवस्तूपमा मता. *Kuwal.* The trait of not being brought under restraint by insignificant objects which is common to the उपमान and उपमेय is expressed by separate phrases in the stanza, hence the Alankāra is प्रतिवस्तूपमा. A

Metre—मालिनीः ननमयययुतेयं मालिनी भोगिलोकैः Pause after the 8th syllable.

Translation—Despise not wise men who have acquired philosophical knowledge. The worthless lucre, which to them is as insignificant as a blade of grass, does not tie them down.

The filament of a lotus-stalk is no restrainer to elephants whose temples are blackened with the streaks of fresh rut.

XVIII.

Notes and Explanation:—अम्भो०—अम्भोजिनीनां वनं तस्मिन् निवासः तस्य विलासः तम्. नितरां (*Indecli:*) नि+तराम्=Excessively. It may be construed either with हन्ति or कुपितः though the latter is to be preferred. “ तर and तम when suffixed to verbs and indeclinables forming adverbs assume the forms of तराम् and तमाम् e. g. पचतितराम्, उषैस्तराम् &c.” *Kale*. न तु=But not. दुग्ध०—दुग्धं च जलं च तयोर्भेदः तस्य विधिः तस्मिन्. वैदग्ध्यकीर्तिः= Fame about skill. अपहर्तुं न समर्थः—The Sutra पर्याप्तिवचने-ज्वलमर्थेषु *Pānini* III. iv. 66 3178 authorises the use of the Infinitive with words meaning ‘sufficient, able, proficient &c.’ Cf. अहमप्यसमर्थः श्रोतुम् *Kādam*. The idea of the peculiar skill of the swan to separate milk from water is very common in Sanskrit literature. Com:—आस्वादितं भवद्भिर्यद्गुणि तद्दुष्टमन्यथा॥पीतं पयो राज-हंसैर्वारि तैर्दूरमुज्जितम् ॥ १ ॥ *Pan: Pra: Bhāna*. नीरक्षीरविवेके हंसालस्यं त्वमेव कुरुषे चेत् ॥ विश्वेऽस्मिन्नयुनान्यः कुलव्रतं पालयिष्यति कः॥१॥ *Bhā. Vilās*.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. See St. 2.

Translation—Highly irritated Bramhá can destroy for the swan the enjoyment of residing in beds of lotuses but he can not deprive him of his fame about the natural skill of separating milk from water.

XIX.

Notes and Explanation:—कुसुमम्—Singular used for the class जात्यभिप्रायेण एकवचनम्. मूर्धजाः—मूर्धनि जाताः, hair on the head. संस्कृता = Polished. The insertion of स् between सं and कृ is according to the Sutra सम्परिभ्यां करोतौ भूषणे *Pānini* VI. i. 137.

Metre—शाईलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation:—Neither do bracelets, nor necklaces brilliant like the moon, nor bathings nor anointing (of perfumes) nor flowers, nor decorated hair become ornaments to a man but it is polished speech alone which adorns him. Adornments are for a fact destructible but the one of eloquence is an everlasting ornament.

XX.

Notes and Explanation:—नाम=Verily. प्रच्छन्न०—प्रच्छन्नं च तत् गुप्तं च Concealed and protected. भोगकरी = Cause or source of enjoyment. (From भोग+कृ). The root कृ takes the affix ट (अ) when it denotes a cause, natural habit or favourableness as यशस्करः, भ्रादकरः, वचनकरः according to the Sutra कृभो हेतुताच्छील्यानुलोम्येषु *Pānini* III. ii. 20. The feminine of these words is formed by the addition of ई. यशःसु०—यशश्च सुखं च य०—सुखे, ते करोति तच्छील्य य०—सुखकरी. This is formed in the same manner as भोगकरी.

गुरुणां गुरुः=The greatest of the great. गुरुः may be taken as a noun and then there remains no necessity of taking it in the feminine as done by Mr. Telang, since predicative substantives need not necessarily be in the same gender as that of the subject; mark विद्या बन्धुजनः, विद्या अधिकं रूपं in the Stanza itself.

राजसुपूजिता—This can be taken either as a compound with its two members राज and सुपूजिता, or two separate words as राजसु and पूजिता to mean 'worshipped among kings.' This however cannot be said to make an elegant sense. Moreover, पूजित is a past passive participle; as such it may be used in the past or present sense. It ought to be taken in the latter to convey a general statement of the learned being respected in all times by princes. In this sense the locative is inadmissible since past participles used in the sense of the present govern the genitive कस्य च वर्तमाने *Pānini* II. iii. 67 making राज्ञां पूजितः

but such is not the phrase of the text. The only course then is to dissolve the compound as राजभिः सुष्ठु पूजिता रा०—पूजिता taking पूजित in the past sense. राजपूजितः इत्यादौ तु भूते कान्तेन सह तृतीया-
न्तस्य समासः *S. Kaumudi*. न तु—This has a greater force than न हि.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—Learning, indeed, imparts high splendour to a man; it is a valuable treasure which is (always) concealed and well guarded, it is the means of securing glory and ease, it is the greatest of the great, it is a kinsman in travelling through foreign lands and is the supreme divinity. Learning is honoured by kings and not wealth. A man without learning is but a brute.

XXI.

Notes and Explanation :—क्षान्तिः=Patience. कवचेन किं=What need of an armour. क्षमाशस्त्रं करे यस्य दुर्जनः किं करिष्यति. The reading वचनेन किं means 'what use of (soothing) words (from others) if a man (is gifted) with patience.' It is interpreted by some ' what effect of words from bad people if one is gifted with patience.' The reading adopted by us is smoother and makes a better sense. किं—Words like किं, कार्यं, अर्थः &c., expressing use or need govern the instrumental of that which is used or needed and the genitive of the user. क्रोध—Sanskrit writers look upon anger as one of the six enemies of man. " नास्ति क्रोधसमो रिपुः ". ज्ञातिः=Relatives. These have always been a source of trouble in this world. दयादाः सहजारायः. सुहृत्=A friend or a good heart. स्वान्तं हन्मानसं मनः *Amara*. दिव्यौषधः=A medicine of divine or wonderful potency. व्याधितस्यार्थहीनस्य देशान्तरगतस्य च ॥ नरस्य शोकदग्धस्य सुहृद्दर्शनमौषधम्. The phrase in the verse can be interpreted in two ways: (1) If a man has a

good friend he needs no medicine of potent virtue. (2) A man with a tranquil heart does not stand in need of medicine. The importance of peace of mind is well-known. किम्—किम्+उ has the same sense as किम्. अनवद्या Flawless. न वद्या अनवद्या. वद्य is *pot. part.* of वद् to speak. The forms resulting from the indeclinable न with the root वद् by the addition of the affix य are अनुद्य and अवद्य; the former conveys a general meaning 'that which ought not to be spoken' while the latter (अवद्य) has a deprecatory sense 'that which is not fit to be spoken.' अवद्यपण्य वर्या गर्हापणितव्यानिरोधेषु *Pāṇini* III. i. 101 *e. g.* अवद्यं पापम्, अनुद्यं 2149.

गुरुनाम. मीडा— Generally we find the word used in the sense of modesty as an ornament in the case of the fair sex; but here it appears to have been used by the poet to express 'sense of shame' in undertaking a bad work. *see* St. 110. सुकविता &c. Bharatrihari has evinced a high predilection in favour of poetry in several places. In this connection *see* Kāvya Prakāsha काव्यं x x x सद्यः परनिर्वृतये (भवति)—सकलप्रयोजनमौलिभूतं समनतरमेव रसास्वादनसमुद्भूतं विगलितवेद्यान्तरमानन्दं (ददाति).

Alankāra—प्रतीप—आक्षेप उपमानस्य प्रतीपं *K. Pra.* In the Stanza the उपमानाः कवच, अरि, अनल &c., are condemned since the उपमेयाः क्षान्ति, क्रोध and ज्ञाति &c., are considered quite capable of serving the purpose of the उपमानाः.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. *see* St. 6.

Translation—If man has patience what need has he of an armour, if he has anger what other enemy need he fear. If he has relatives what need of any fire, if he has a true friend what use has he of medicines of potent virtue; if there be bad people about him why should he fear serpents; if he has flawless learning what worth are riches to him, if he has sense of shame what other ornament does he require; if he has good poems what pleasure can he have from a kingdom.

XXII.

Notes and Explanation:—**दाक्षिण्य**=Indulgence. **स्वजने**—

The word **जन** is often used in Sanskrit to represent the class.

Cf. अनियन्त्रणानुयोगे नाम तपस्विजनः *Sháku*. **नय** = Politic behaviour.

शाठ्य=Deceit, deception, hence caution in dealing with rogues.

परजन= stranger as opposed to **स्वजन**. **परिजन**= attendant.

Mr. Telang has **विद्वज्जनेप्यार्जवम्** where **अपि** has no force. Had it been in the last clause or had there been any opposite idea expressed, there would have been some propriety in it. As it is, there is only a continuous narration of how one should behave with different people.

आर्जवम् = straightforwardness **ऋजोर्भावः**

आर्जवम्. **धूर्तता** = Shrewdness. **तेष्वे०** = on them rests the world.

Metre—**शार्दूलविक्रीडित**. see Stanza 6.

Translation—Indulgence towards one's own people, kindness to strangers, caution with respect to the wicked, love for the good, politic behaviour with kings, straightforwardness in dealings with the learned, bravery with enemies, forbearance towards elders, shrewdness with regard to the fair sex; those who are versed in these and the like arts are the persons on whom rests the world.

XXIII.

Notes and Explanation:—**दिशति** = Gives, imparts, directs.

अपाकरोति = Removes. **वाचि सत्यं सिञ्चति** is, as Mr. Telang remarks, a curious phrase. For an idea parallel to that of the Stanza compare the following.

दूरीकरोति कुमतिं विमलीकरोति चेतश्चिरंतनमघं बुलुकीकरोति ॥

भूतेषु किं च कदृणां बहुलीकरोति संगः सतां किमु न मंगलमातनोति ॥ Bhámi. I. 122.

Alankára—**कारकदीपक**—सैव क्रियासु बन्दीषु कारकस्येति दीपकम् *K. Pra.* The *Alankára* of the stanza is **कारकदीपक**, because the subject-noun **सत्संगतिः** is mentioned only once in connection with many verbs *viz.* **हरति**, **सिञ्चति** &c.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. see Stanza 2.

Translation—Say, what does not the company of the good do to men—it removes the dulness of the intellect, instils veracity in their speech, directs them to the loftiness of self-respect, removes sinful tendencies, purifies the mind and spreads their fame in all directions.

XXIV.

Notes and Explanation—जयन्ति = (They) prosper; Glory (to them). सुकृतिनः = शोभनं कृतं (काव्यरूपं कर्म रससाधनरूपं च) अस्ति एषां ते—Skilful workers (1) in the art of poetry (2) in the preparations of mercury. रस०—रस = (1) Sentiment. (2) Mercury. Hence रससिद्धाः = (1) Perfect in the *rasás* or sentiments, masters of style, capable of ruling the passions and feelings of men. (2) Possessors of the elixir of life. रस is looked upon as the soul of poetry; वाक्यं रसात्मकं काव्यं *Sáhitya Darpa*. The *rasás* are शुद्धारहास्यकरुणरौद्रवीरभयानकाः ॥ बीभत्सोऽद्भुत इत्यष्टौ रसाः शान्तस्तथा मतः. Sanskrit works on medicine have given great importance to mercury; एकोऽसौ रसरजः शरीरमजरामरं कुरुते *Rasaratnákara*. The compound can be dissolved in two ways (1) सिद्धाः रसाः येषां ते—Those who are masters of sentiments; सिद्धः रसः येषां ते—Those who have skilfully manipulated mercury. In this the word सिद्ध becomes the last member of the compound, the phrase being considered as one of the आहिताग्नि class. (2) रसेषु सिद्धाः—Proficient in style; रसे सिद्धाः—Proficient in (the preparations of) mercury. The words सिद्ध, शुष्क, पक्व and बन्ध form the locative Tatpurusha; सिद्धशुष्कपक्वबन्धैश्च *Pánini* II. i. 41. यशःकाये—यशः एव कायः तस्मिन् Cf. यशःशरीरे भव मे दबाहुः *Raghu* II. 57. जरा०—जरा च मरणं च ताभ्यां जातं जरामरणजं.

The root जन् takes the form ज according to the Sūtra पञ्च-
म्यामजातौ *Pāṇinī* III. ii. 98.
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Alankāra—श्लेष-श्लेषः स वाक्य एकस्मिन् यत्रानेकार्थता भवेत् *K. Pra.*
In this Stanza the words सुकृतिः, रससिद्धाः &c. have more than
one sense, hence there is श्लेष.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्. see Stanza 1.

Translation—Poets who are endowed with a mastery in
their art and who are therefore perfect in the exposition of
sentiments in their compositions, do prosper. There is no fear
of decrepitude or death to the form (body) of their fame as in the
case of those skilful persons who have acquired the knowledge
of the manipulation of mercury.

XXV.

Notes and Explanation—प्रसा०—प्रसादस्य उन्मुखः=Ready
to confer a favour. स्निग्धं—This word is used in various senses
in Sanskrit. Here it means 'affectionate.' निष्केश०—केशस्य लेशः
केश०—लेशः, निर्गतः केश०—लेशः यस्मात् तत् निष्केशलेशं. In Mr. Telang's
text we find the *Visarga* of निर retained, but it is not correct,
since *Visarga* preceded by इ or उ and not belonging to a termi-
nation is changed to ष when followed by a hard consonant of
the guttural or labial class. इदुदुपत्रस्य चाप्रत्ययस्य *Pāṇinī* VIII. iii. 41
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विद्या०—विद्यया अवदातं i. e. purified by learning; अवदातः सिते पीते
शुद्धे *Amar.* विष्टप०—विष्टप=world. विष्टपं भुवनं जगत् *Amar.* हारिन्=
Destroyer. विष्टपस्य कष्टं हरति तच्छीलः वि० क० हारी = one who destroys
the troubles of the world. विष्टपहारिणि इष्टदहरौ is the reading in Te-
lang's text which can be explained by taking हारिन्=attractive
hence वि०-हारिन्=Joy of the world and इष्टदहरि = Hari who
gives the desired objects. विष्टपहारिन् has been explained by some

commentators as विष्टपं हरति उद्धरति सः and by a few others as स्वर्गवासी or स्वर्गसंतोषकारी. Neither of these appears satisfactory. The use of a separate adjective referring to the last member of a compound is not a very usual construction and is considered defective by rhetoricians. Similarly the use of हरति in the sense of उद्धरति is, if at all, quite uncommon. विष्टप is not known to mean स्वर्ग the synonym for it being त्रिविष्टप.

Alankāra—तुल्ययोगिता—नियतानां सकृद्धर्मः सा पुनस्तुल्ययोगिता. *K. Pra.* Here the common property 'acquisition' is mentioned only once in connexion with सच्चरितसूनु &c. which being the matters in hand (नियत=प्राकरणिक), are described as the result of Hari's favour.

Metre—शार्दूलबिम्बीडित. see Stanza 6.

Translation—A well-conducted son, a devoted wife, a liberal master, a loving friend, an honest servant, a mind free from even the least anxiety, a handsome form, abiding riches, a mouth purified by learning—all these can be gained by a man when Hari the destroyer of the troubles of the world is pleased.

XXVI.

Notes and Explanation—प्राणा०—प्राणानां आघातः (destruction of lives) तस्मात्. शक्त्या=According to one's power. युव०—जनः=collection or class. see St. 22 *supra*. मूकभावः=silence. युवतीनां जनः, तस्य कथाः, तासु मूकभावः. परेषां—goes with युवतिजन. In the ordinary course of compounds the phrase ought to have been परयुवतिजन &c., but instances like परेषां युवतिजन are not rare in classic literature; they are permissible like the phrase देवदत्तस्य गुरुकुलम्; 'सापेक्षत्वेऽपि गमकत्वात् समासः'. तृष्णा०—तृष्णायाः स्रोतः, तस्य विभङ्गः see St. 45. *Vairāgya*. अनु०—न उपहतः विधिः यस्य सः=Whose regulations are unobjected.

Metre—सगंधरा. मन्त्रैर्यानां त्रयेण त्रिमुनियतियुता सगंधरा कीर्तितयं ॥

The pause is after each of the 7th syllable.

Translation—Abstinence from destroying life, restraint in depriving others of their wealth, speaking the truth, timely liberality according to one's power, not even talking about the young ladies of others, checking the stream of covetousness, reverence for elders, compassion towards all creatures—this is the universal path to happiness violating no rules or ordinances of any Shāstrás.

XXVII.

Notes and Explanation—विरमन्ति—रम् is *Atmanepadi* but preceded by the prepositions वि, आ, परि, it becomes *Parasmaipadi*. The propriety of the reading of the text is self-evident. This Stanza is met with in Vishákhadatta's *Mudrá-rákshasa*.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. see Stanza 2.

Translation—Weak-minded men do not begin anything at all through fear of difficulties, mediocres begin a work but abandon it no sooner obstacles come in their way; but strong-minded persons though repeatedly hindered by difficulties do not give up what they have once begun.

XXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—The position of the first two lines has been changed from that in Mr. Telang's edition and the system of about six Mss. has been adopted in our text, because तु has no force and appears to be redundant. सुहृत् = one having a good heart, a noble-minded person. (स्वान्तं इन्मानसं मनः *Amar*). शोभनं इत् यस्य and not शोभनं इदयं यस्य (which

is equal to सुहृद् a friend by the rule सुहृद् ईदी मित्रामित्रयोः Pānini V. iv. 150 . There is a greater propriety in taking 888

सुहृद् to signify a noble-minded person as opposed to असन्तः than to take it in its restricted sense 'a friend'. कुराधन=one with slender means, in reduced circumstances. न्याय्या—न्यायादनपेता= Not swerving from the right path; धर्मपथ्यन्यायादनपेते Pānini IV. iiii. 92 . The words धर्म &c. take the affix क्त in the 1644

sense of अनपेत=not swerved from. असुकरं—सुष्ठु क्रियते तत् सुकरं, न सुकरं असुकरं. The affix कल् (अ) is added to any root with ईषत्, दुर् or सु prefixed to it, when the idea of ease or difficulty is present. ईषद् सुषुकच्छाकच्छार्येषु कल् Pānini III. iii. 126 . 8305

विपद्युच्चैःस्था = to live in a dignified manner in misfortune. पद-मनु—पदं अनु+वि+धा = To follow the footsteps. उद्दिष्टं = उपदिष्टं advised, laid down. असि०—असेवारा इव व्रतम् = a vow (a course) as difficult as walking on the edge of a sword. i. e. the vow of performing the most difficult things and of withstanding the most powerful temptations. यत्रैकशयनस्यापि प्रमदा नोपभुज्यते ॥ असि-धाराव्रतं नाम वदन्ति मुनिपुङ्गवाः ॥ इदं वासिधाराचक्रमणुत्यत्वादासिधारव्रत मित्युक्तं Mallināth on Raghu XIII. 67. vide St. 64 infra.

Metre—शिखरिणी. see Stanza 8.

Translation—Not supplicating evil men, not begging even of a noble-minded person when he is in reduced circumstances, regard for a just mode of behaviour, incapability of putting one's hand to a dirty work even at the risk of life, living in a dignified manner in misfortune and following the foot-steps of the great: by whom has this course difficult as the walking on the edge of a sword been advised to the good?

XXIX.

Notes and Explanation—धुत्क्षाम —क्षाम past parti. of क्षे

to waste away. क्षुधा क्षामः क्षुत्क्षामः=Emaciated by hunger. शिथिल-
 प्रायः—प्रायेण शिथिलः शि०—प्रायः. प्रायो बाहुल्यतुल्ययोः *Medini*. प्राय
 generally comes as the last member of a compound when it
 should be rendered by 'mostly, almost'. विप०—विपन्ना (नष्टा) दी-
 भितिः (तेजः) यस्य सः. प्राणेषु—The word प्राण in the sense of
 'life' is used in the plural पुंसि भूत्रयसवः प्राणाः *Amar*. मत्तेभे०—
 मत्तानां इमानां इन्द्रः म०—भेन्द्रः, विभिन्नौ च तौ कुम्भौ च वि०—कुम्भौ; मत्ते
 भेन्द्रस्य वि०—कुम्भौ, तयोः कवलः (mouthful) तस्य ग्रासः (swallowing)
 तस्मिन् एका (अद्वितीया) बद्धा स्पृहा येन सः. Prof. Gole dissolves the
 compound मत्तः इभेन्द्रः तस्य विभिन्नौ कुम्भौ तयोः कवलाः तेषां ग्रासः तस्मिन्
 एकस्मिन् (केवले) बद्धा स्पृहा येन सः=Who has set his heart upon
 devouring nothing but mouthfuls from the wounded temples of
 powerful intoxicated elephants. मान०—मानेन महान्तः, तेषाम्.
 अग्रेसरः—अग्रं, अग्रेण, अग्रे वा सरतीति अग्रेसरः. The word अग्र takes
 the form अग्रे before the root घ under the Sutra पुरोऽग्रतोऽग्रेषु
 सतैः *Pāṇini* III. ii. 18. Rare instances of अग्रसर are met with
 in literature.

Alankāra—अग्रस्तुतप्रशंसा—अग्रस्तुतप्रशंसा या सा सैव प्रस्तुता-
 भ्रया *K. Pra*: There is अग्रस्तुतप्रशंसा in the Stanza because the
 description of a man of self-respect which is the matter in hand
 is implied by the description of the nature of the lion which is
 not the matter in hand.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See St. 6.

Translation—The lion, the foremost among the proud,
 has unparalleled eagerness for swallowing a mouthful out of the
 temples broken by himself of a great intoxicated elephant; does
 he—although emaciated by hunger, weakened by old age, al-
 most exhausted and come to a miserable plight, with all his
 vigour gone and even on the verge of death—ever feed upon
 withered grass?

XXX.

*Notes and Explanation:—*स्वल्पस्ना०—स्नायवन्धवसा च स्ना०—
 वसं (Samáhár Dwandwa) तस्य अवशेषः स्ना० व० शेषः; स्वल्पः स्ना०
 व० शेषः यस्मिन् तत् स्व०—शेषं, स्व०—शेषं च तत् मलिनं च स्व० स्ना० मलिनं.
अस्थिकं—अल्पं अस्थि=अस्थिकं. The suffix क is added to nouns
 to impart a diminutive sense. It is also used to convey a de-
 precatory sense कुत्सितं अस्थि=अस्थिकं. Mr. Telang has स्वल्प—
 अस्थि गोः. We do not see any beauty in that reading which
 makes a special mention of the bone of a cow; the reading
 अस्थिकं does away with the necessity of taking स्वल्प as an ad-
 jective to अस्थि. Moreover स्वल्प with स्नायु०—शेष imparts a
 greater force to the sentiment. **क्षुधा०**—क्षुधायाः शान्तिः तस्यै.
Mark the idiomatic use of the dative. Generally we find क्षुध्
instead of क्षुधा in literature though the latter is permissible ac-
ording to Bháguri who says that even words ending in con-
sonants may take the feminine affix टाप् (आ), while Páṇini
allows it only in the case of words ending in अ. वशिष्ठगुरिरष्टो-
पमवाप्योरुपसर्गयोः ॥ आपं चैव हलन्तानां यथा वाचा निशा दिशा. Cf. क्षुत्क्षाम
St. 29 supra and St. 84 infra. कृच्छ्रगतः—कृच्छ्रं गतः a Dvitiyá
Tatpurusha. A noun in the accusative case is compounded
with the words श्रित, अतीत, पतित &c.. द्वितीयाश्रितातीतपतितगता-
त्यस्तप्राप्तापन्नैः Páṇini II. i. 34. सत्त्वा०—according to one's cha-
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acter. सत्त्व=Disposition, character, strength. सत्त्वं गुणे पिशाचादौ
बले द्रव्यस्वभावयोः Medini.

Alankára—अर्थान्तरन्यास. See Stanza 9. Here the parti-
cular characteristic of the lion is confirmed by the general state-
ment of one's conduct according to his nature.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—A dog rejoices over a little bone destitute of
flesh and filthy with small remains of tendons and fat on it,

though it does not appease his hunger. The lion rejects a jackal even though he may have come under his paw and kills an elephant. Each one sets his desire on an object according to his inborn nature although he may be in distress.

XXXI.

Notes and Explanation—चरणा०—चरणयोः अवपातः Falling at the feet. पिण्ड—*lit.* one who gives a ball, hence giver of food. See Misc: Stanza 8 *infra*. Some such word as पुरस्तात् or पुरतः should be supplied after पिण्डस्य. पुङ्गव—Primarily it means an (ox) but secondarily at the end of a compound it signifies 'chief, best, pre-eminent of a class'; स्युस्तरपदे व्याघ्रपुङ्गवमकुञ्जराः ॥ सिंहसार्दूलागाथाः पुंसि श्रेष्ठार्थगोचराः *Amar.* चादुशतैः=By numerous coaxing words. चदु चादु प्रिये वाक्ये *Amar.*

Alankāra—स्वभावोक्ति—स्वभावोक्तिस्तु डिम्भादेः स्वक्रियारूपवर्णनम् *K. Pra.* In this Stanza the description of the characteristic action and posture of the dog and the elephant are described.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. See Stanza 2.

Translation—The dog falls down at the feet of one who gives him food, wags his tail and prostrating himself on the ground shows his (upturned) mouth and belly to him; but the elephant, on the other hand, calmly looks on and eats his food only when entreated with various flattering words.

XXXII.

Notes and Explanation—परिव०—परिवर्तते तच्छीलः तस्मिन् संसारे=In this revolving world. "The allusion is to the ever recurring birth and death in this world. पुनरपि जननं पुनरपि मरणं पुनरपि जननीजठरे शयनम् are familiar verses to the same ef-

fect" *Telang*. **को वा**—The interrogative pronoun **किं** and its derivatives are used idiomatically with the indeclinables **वा, नाम, इव, नु** to give emphasis to the question and may be translated by 'who indeed, who possibly' &c. *Gole*.

Metre—**अनुष्टुप्**. See St. 1.

Translation—Who, indeed, that is once dead in this revolving world is not born again? But that man is born by whose birth his family attains to dignity.

XXXIII.

Notes and Explanation—**स्तवक** = Cluster, bunch. **द्वयी** = (*fem.* of **द्वय**) two-fold. The numerals take the affix **तयप्** (**तय**) to denote a partitive sense, which in the case of **द्वि** and **त्रि** is optionally changed into **अयच्** (**अय**) and the ending **इ** dropped, giving the forms **द्वितय** or **द्वय**, **त्रितय** or **त्रय**. **मनस्विन्** = High-minded, **प्रशस्तं मनः अस्ति अस्य**. Words ending in **अस्** and the words **माया, मेधा** and **स्रज्** take **बिन्** in the sense of possessive affixes which indicate greatness, deprecation, praise &c.

भूमनिन्दाप्रशंसासु नित्ययोगेऽतिशयने ॥

संबन्धेऽस्तिविवक्षायां भवन्ति मतुबादयः ॥१॥ S. Kau.

"The idea of placing flowers and garlands on the head is common in Sanskrit literature". Even at this day both sexes are seen using flowers on the head in Mysore and thereabouts.

The reading **द्वे गती** &c., only indicates a course without any effort, while **द्वयी वृत्तिः** conveys the idea of a certain amount of determination on the part of the high-minded. Likewise it is preferable to have **मनस्वी** the **उपमेय** in the singular, as it is in juxtaposition to **स्तवक** the **उपमान**, which is in the singular. **शीर्यते** in the present tense conveys the sense of a general

proposition and is therefore to be preferred to the potential form of the verb. Some such verb as शोभते must be supplied after मूर्ध्नि. Stanza 104 *infra*, is the same as this one with a slight variation in the wording.

Alankāra—उपमा. All the conditions required for this *Alankāra* are found expressed in this Stanza. कुसुमस्तवक is the उपमान 'the thing compared to', and मनस्वी is the उपमेय 'the thing compared'; being on the head or withering away in the woods is the common property, and इव is the word conveying the sense of comparison.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्—see Stanza 1.

*Translation—*The position of the high-minded is twofold as in the case of a bunch of flowers, either to be on the head of the people, or to wither away in a forest.

XXXIV.

Notes and Explanation—बृह०—बृहस्पतिः प्रभृतिः (आदिः) येषां ते. सम्भाविताः = Held in high esteem. पञ्च०—पञ्च वा षड् वा पञ्चषाः. This is a Bahuvrihi, संख्यया व्ययासन्नादूराधिकसंख्याः संख्येये *Pāṇini* II. ii. 25 ; a compound of an indeclinable, a numeral, or 843 the words आसन्न, अदूर or अधिक with a numeral is a Bahuvrihi. In the formation of such compounds the final vowel or the final consonant with the preceding vowel of the latter numeral is dropped and अ added on, द्वौ वा त्रयो वा द्वित्राः. तान् प्रति—*See* St. 16. *supra*. विशेष०—विशेषे (शत्रुविशेषे) विक्रमः Valour with regard to an extraordinary enemy. विशेष is generally used as a noun; some instances are found where it is an adjective *e. g.* आसीद्विशेषा फलपुष्पवृद्धिः *Raghu* II. 14. Taken as an adjective here it means 'unusual valour' and the compound is to be dissolved विशिष्यते इति विशेषः, विशेषश्चासौ विक्रमश्च विशेष-

विक्रमः, तस्मिन् रुचिः यस्य. वैरायते—वैरं करोति denominative from the nominal base वैर enmity. The affix क्यङ् (य) is added to the nominal bases शब्द, वैर &c. in the sense of doing or making, and the nominal verbs so derived are conjugated in the *Atmanepada*; शब्दवैरकलहाप्रकण्वमेवेभ्यः करणे *Pāṇini* HI. i. 17.
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भास्वर=Shining. पर्वणि=on the day of conjunction or of full moon. भ्रातः—Voc: Sing: of भ्रातृ, a term of endearment. Some Mss. read भ्रान्तः which is interpreted as “insensate.” On this construction, however, “an अपि or some word of like import would seem to be necessary.” भ्रान्तः might also mean, भ्रमणं कुर्वन् ‘having revolved’, the affix त being added to the root भ्रम् in the active sense. शीर्षा०—शीर्ष अवशेषः यस्य सः शीर्षावशेषः, न शीर्षावशेषः अ०-शेषः, अ०-शेषः शीर्षावशेषत्वेन संपन्नः कृतः शी०-शे०-कृतः Some Mss: have शीर्षावशेषाकृतिः which may be dissolved as शीर्षमेव अवशेषः यस्याः सा शीर्षावशेषा, शी०-शेषा आकृतिः यस्य सः.

The mythological incident referred to in this Stanza will be found in the 8th Skandha of Bhāgwata as well as in the Matsya Purāna. The deities obtained Amrit by churning the ocean. By a stratagem Rāhu gained admission into their assembly and drank some of the Amrit. The sun and the moon discovered the theft and reported it to Vishnu who cut off Rāhu’s head. On this account an animosity has been established between the two planets—the sun and the moon—and the demon Rāhu who is supposed to periodically swallow them.

Alankāra—अग्रस्तुतप्रशंसा see Stanza 29. Here the description of Rāhu’s conduct which is not the matter in hand leads to the implication of the disposition of a wicked person. which is the matter in hand.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. see Stanza 6.

Translation—There are some five or six planets (besides the sun and the moon) with Brihaspati at their head, who

are held in esteem : Ráhu desirous of figuring in special valour does not show enmity towards any of them. The Lord of the demons (Ráhu) though he has nothing left him of his form but his head, devours at conjunction and opposition only the splendid ruler of the day and the lord of the night. Mark this, oh ! brother.

XXXV.

Notes and Explanation—**भुवन०**—The number of Bhuwanás is either three as in the familiar expression त्रिभुवन or fourteen. *see Vairá* 23. Here the poet seems to have used the word in a limited sense. The phrase means 'the different regions of the world'. **फणा०**—फणा एव फलकं तस्मिन् स्थिता. **कमठ०** = By the lord of the tortoises. **मध्येपृष्ठम्**—पृष्ठस्य मध्ये, मध्येपृष्ठम्. (An Avyayibháva compound). The words पारे and मध्ये optionally form the Avyayibháva compound with a noun in the genitive and are placed first with the final अ changed to ए; as पारेगङ्गम् or मध्येगङ्गम् &c. पारे मध्ये षष्ठ्या वा *Pálini* II. i. 18. **क्रोडाधीनम्**—क्रोडे अधि इति क्रोडाधीनम् (Loc: Tatpuruṣa) = on the breast of the ocean. अधि takes the form अधीन when it is the last member of a compound *अध्युत्तरपदात्सः*. न ना क्रोडे भुजान्तरम् *Amar.* **अनादरात्**—Easily, without difficulty. **अहह**=Oh, what wonder. **अहहेत्यद्भुते खेदे** *Amar.* "The point of the Stanza is that each of the great personages mentioned does some remarkable act, and yet each later one outdoes each preceding one." *Telang.*

Alankára—**अर्थान्तरन्यासः**. *See Stanza 9.* Here the general proposition with regard to the magnanimity of the doings of the great is confirmed by the description of the ocean easily holding the king of the tortoises on his breast.

Metre—**हरिणी**. *See Stanza 9.*

Translation—The Shes'ha bears the several regions of the world on the flat of his hoods, he is constantly borne by the king of the tortoises on his back who, in his turn, is again held without difficulty by the ocean on his breast. Ah! boundless is the brilliancy of the performances of the great.

XXXVI.

Notes and Explanation—वरम्—see note St. 14 *supra*. समद०—मदेन सहितः समदः, समदश्चासौ मघवांश्च स०—मघवा, स० मघोना मुक्तं च तत् कुलिशं च स०—कुलिशं, तस्य प्रहारैः. उद्गच्छ०—दहनस्य उद्गाराः द०—द्राराः, बहलाश्च ते द०—द्राराश्च ब०—द०—द्राराः, उद्गच्छन्तश्च ते ब०—द०—द्राराश्च, तैः गुरुभिः, उद्गच्छ०—गुरुभिः. तुषाराद्रेः=of the mountain of snow i. e. Himálaya. His son is called Maináka. Read असूत सा नागवधूपभोग्यं मैनाकमम्भोनिधिबद्धसख्यम् ॥ कुद्वेऽपि पक्षच्छिदि वृत्रशत्रावविदनां कुलिशक्षतानाम् Kumār I. 20. अहह = Alas. क्लेश०—क्लेशेन विवशः overwhelmed by calamities. संपातः=Falling and thereby secret-ing oneself. पयसां पतिः=The ocean. उचितः is more or less redundant with the construction वरं—न च; the signification, as remarked by Telang, being implied in the construction itself. For the allusion in the stanza, see Rámáyana Sundar Kánda. प्रत्युवाच हनूमन्तं वाक्यज्ञो वाक्यकोविदम् ॥ पक्षवन्तः पुरा शैला बभूवुः शीघ्र गामिनः ॥४०॥ व्रजन्ति स्म दिशः सर्वा गरुडानिलरंहसः ॥ ततस्तेषु प्रयातेषु देवसङ्घः सहस्रशः ॥४१॥ भूतानि च भयं जग्मुस्तेषां पतनशङ्कया ॥ ततः क्रुद्धः सहस्राक्षः पर्वतानां सहस्रशः ॥४२॥ पक्षाश्चिच्छेद वज्रेण तत्र तत्र शतक्रतुः ॥ स मामुपागतः क्रुद्धो वज्रमुद्यम्य देवराट् ॥४३॥ ततोऽहं सहसा क्षिप्तः पवनेन महात्मना ॥ अस्मिन्नवणतोयं च विक्षिप्तो वानरर्षभ ॥४४॥ गुप्तपक्षः समर्थश्च तत्र पित्राऽभिरक्षितः ॥ तदा गिरीणां सर्वेषां छिद्यमानान्महत्माना ॥४५॥ पक्षान्दृष्ट्वा महेन्द्रेण प्रविष्टोऽहं महार्णवम् ॥ सोऽहमिन्द्रभयात्तात प्रविष्टो वरुणालयम् ॥

Ms V₁ has प्राणच्छेदः in place of पक्षच्छेदः and explains it मैनाकस्य पितरि हिमाचले क्लेशविबुधे सति कुलिशप्रहारैः प्राणच्छेदो जीवना-शो वरम्.

Metre—शिक्षरिणी. See Stanza 8.

*Translation—*Better for the son of the Himālaya to have allowed his wings to be cut off by the proud Indra by strokes of his thunder-bolt which became unbearable on account of their emitting huge masses of flame; but alas! his throwing himself in the waters of the ocean and seeking refuge there was improper when his father was overwhelmed by calamity.

XXXVII.

*Notes and Explanation—*यत्=as, inasmuch as. पादैः=By the rays, allegorically by the feet. इनकान्तः=Sun-stone. तत्=Therefore. निकृति=Insult or injury. In the reading विकृति, the meaning is the same but it requires straining. कथं सहते—The present is used in the sense of the potential. For a similar idea Cf. न तेजस्तेजस्वी प्रसूतमपरेषां प्रसहते

स तस्य रचो भावः प्रकृतिनियतत्वादकृतकः ॥

मयूखैरश्रान्तं तपति यदि देवो दिनकरः

किमामेयप्राया निकृत इव तेजांसि वमति ॥ १ ॥ *Uttar. VI.*

Alankāra—दृष्टान्त. see Stanza 15. There is a reflective representation of प्रज्वलन and असहन, hence this Alankāra.

Metre—आर्या. see Stanza 3.

*Translation—*The sun-stone though lifeless acquires burning heat when touched by the rays of the sun: how then should a spirited man bear an injury inflicted by another?

XXXVIII.

*Notes and Explanation—सिंहः—*हिनस्तीति सिंहः The word belongs to the पृषोदर class. भवेद्द्वर्णागमादंसः सिंहो वर्णविपर्ययत् ॥ गूढोत्मावर्णविकृतेर्वर्णनाशात्पृषोदरम् ॥ *S. Kau. मद्—*प्रशस्ताः कपोलाः क-

पोलभित्तयः, मदेन मलिनाः कपोलभित्तयः येषां, तेषु. म०-म०-क०-भित्तिषु is a Karmadhāraya compound by the Sutra प्रशंसावचनैश्च *Pāṇini* II.i.66 747
 मतल्लिकोद्घमिश्राः स्युः प्रकाण्डस्यलभित्तयः *Gan: Maho*. All these words at the end of a compound signify pre-eminence of the preceding noun. The compound can also be dissolved as a genitive Tatpurusha कपोलानां भित्तयः where भित्ति means 'a region.' भित्तिः प्रदेशे कुप्ये च *Vishwa*. According to the first view कपोलभित्तयः = large temples and in the second it means 'the sides of the temples'. For the flow of the rut see *Pālakāpya* करात्कदाभ्यां भेदाच्च नेत्राभ्यां च मदस्रुतिः *Cf.* निर्धौतदानामलग्णभित्तिर्वन्यः सरितो गज उन्ममज *Raghu* V. 43. हेतुः = Cause.

Alankāra—अर्थान्तरन्यास. see Stanza 9. Here the particular proposition of a young lion pouncing upon an elephant is strengthened by the general one that spirit does not depend on age.

Metre—आर्या. see Stanza 3.

Translation—The lion though young attacks elephants whose large temples are blackened with rut: such is the natural disposition of the vigorous; spirit does not certainly depend upon age.

XXXIX.

Notes and Explanation—रसातल = one of the seven regions under the earth which are अतल, वितल, सुतल, रसातल, तलातल, महातल and पाताल. Verbs implying motion govern the accusative. गच्छतु—The reading गच्छताम् is incorrect because गम् is *Parasmai*. शील = Virtuous conduct, शीलं स्वभावे सदृते *Amar*. This is a word of very wide import and conveys the idea of moral rectitude. It appears to be one of Bhartrihari's favourite words

vide Stanzas 13, 42, 82, 109 and Misc. 18, and 19. Com. V_1 explains शील by ब्रह्मचर्यलक्षणम् which does not seem to be correct. अभिजन = Noble birth. This word has been rendered by commentators by स्वजन, परिजन &c., but "as all other things enumerated are qualities residing in an individual, that meaning, if allowable elsewhere, is not admissible here." *Telang*. अर्थ = Wealth. तृण०—तृणस्य लवः तेन प्रायाः(तुल्याः) तृ०-ल०-प्रायाः = like a blade of grass, like a piece of straw. प्रायो बाहुल्यतुल्ययोः *Medinā*.

Alankāra—काव्यलिङ्ग —समर्थनीयस्यार्थस्य काव्यलिङ्गं समर्थनम् *Kuvala*. In this Stanza the phrase येनैकेन &c. constitutes the reason for desiring wealth only regardless of जाति &c., and therefore it is काव्यलिङ्ग.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. see Stanza 6.

Translation—Let our caste go to the lower regions, our virtues may go still lower, our conduct may fall as it were from a precipice, our noble birth may be consumed by fire, a thunderbolt may suddenly strike our bravery—our enemy; wealth alone should be ours; (for) without that one all virtues are like a blade of grass.

XL.

Notes and Explanation—तानि, तत्, सा—The pronoun तद् generally with एव expressed or implied is used by itself without its correlative यद् in the sense of very, same, celebrated or well-known' &c. प्रकान्तप्रसिद्धानुभूतार्थविषयस्तच्छब्दोयच्छब्दोपादानं नापेक्षते *K. Pra*. बुद्धिरप्र० = Sharp intellect, "a head which is at home in every subject" *Telang*. अप्रतिहत = unrepulsed. अर्थो० = Without the warmth of wealth. Construe अर्थोष्मणा विरहितस्तु स एव पुरुषः क्षणेन अन्यः भवतीत्येतद्विचित्रम्.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. *see* Stanza 2.

Translation—All the organs are the same, action the same, sharp intellect the same, speech the same; a man, though he is the same, becomes quite a different person the moment he is deprived of the warmth of wealth : this is indeed wonderful.

XLII.

Notes and Explanation:—पण्डित—*see* note in Stanza 7. धृतवान् = Learned in the Shástrás; धृतमाकर्णिते शास्त्रे. *Mediní.*

Alankára—काव्यलिङ्ग. *see* Stanza 39. In this stanza the phrase सर्वगुणाः काञ्चनमाश्रयन्ति explains the reason why a person having wealth is considered कुलीन, पण्डित, &c.

Metre—उपजाति. *See* Stanza 12.

Translation—He who possesses wealth is well-born, is wise, is looked upon as learned in the Shástrás and is (considered) an appreciator of merits, he alone is eloquent and handsome. All qualifications attach themselves to gold.

XLIII.

Notes and Explanation—दौर्मन्त्र्यात् = दुर्मन्त्रिणः भावः दौर्मन्त्र्यम्, तस्मात्, सङ्गः = Attachment to worldly objects. There does not appear to be any propriety in taking the word in its restricted sense. शीलं—*see* note in Stanza 13 and 39. अनवेक्षणः = Want of supervision. अपि—has no force here. अप्रणयः = Indifference, want of affection. त्यागप्र०—त्यागे प्रमादः तस्मात् = By carelessness or indiscretion in giving. The reading त्यागात् प्रमादात् breaks the symmetry since this is the only place where two causes are given for one result. The construction प्रमादात् यः त्यागः तस्मात् may perhaps preserve the symmetry but it is an involved one.

Alankāra—तुल्ययोगिता (see Stanza 25.) since नृपति, यति &c., which are the matters in hand have a common verb विनश्यति.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. see Stanza 6.

Translation—A king is ruined through evil counsel, an ascetic by attachment to worldly objects, a child by being fondled, a Brāmhān by neglecting study, a family by an ill-behaved son, virtuous life by associating with the wicked. Deficiency is lost by wine, agriculture by want of supervision, affection by being in travels, friendship by indifference.

XLIII.

Notes and Explanation—"The language of this Stanza is" as Mr. Telang remarks "much condensed." In the second line the word वित्तम् must be taken understood as the object of ददाति and भुङ्क्ते; and वित्तस्य must be supplied from the first line. Construe यः वित्तं न ददाति, न भुङ्क्ते तस्य (पुरुषस्य) वित्तस्य तृतीया गतिर्भवति.

Metre—आर्या. See Stanza 3.

Translation—Giving, enjoying and loss are the three courses by which wealth is diminished. The third one is open to the wealth of him who neither gives nor enjoys it.

XLIV.

Notes and Explanation—शाणो०=Ground or cut on a polishing-stone. हेति०—हेतिभिः निहतः=Wounded by weapons. श्यान०—श्यान *past par* : of the root श्यै to become dry, to go &c. श्यानानि (शुष्काणि) पुलिनानि यासां ताः. कला०—कला एव शेषः यस्य सः कलाशेषः. Sanskrit poets have spoken in high terms of admiration about the कलाशेष चन्द्र in several places. प्रणमन्त्यनपायमुत्थितं

अतिपञ्चमिव प्रजा नृपम् *Kirdā* II. 11. पर्यायपीतस्य सुरैर्हिमांशोः कल-
क्षयः श्लाघ्यतरो हि वृद्धेः *Raghu* V. 16. The mythological account of
the manner in which the digits of the moon gradually disap-
pear will be seen from the following:—

प्रथमां पिबते बन्धिर्द्वितीयां पिबते रविः ॥ विश्वेदेवास्तृतीयां तु चतुर्थीं सलिलाधिपः ॥
पञ्चमीं तु वषट्कारः षष्ठीं पिबति वासवः ॥ सप्तमीमृषयो दिव्या अष्टमीमज एक-
पात् ॥ नवमीं कृष्णपक्षस्य यमः प्राश्नाति वै कलां ॥ दशमीं पिबते वायुः पिबत्येकाद-
शीमुमा ॥ द्वादशीं पितरः सर्वे समं प्राश्नन्ति भागशः ॥ त्रयोदशीं धनाध्यक्षः कुबे-
रः पिबते कलाम् ॥ चतुर्दशीं पशुपतिः पञ्चदशीं प्रजापतिः ॥

तनिम्ना=By slenderness. This is an abstract noun from
तनु. The words पृथु, मृदु, महत्, पटु, तनु, लघु &c. take the suffix
इमनिच् (इमन्) optionally to form abstract nouns; as प्रथिमाः or
पार्थिवम्, अदिमा or मार्दवम् &c. पृथ्वादिभ्य इमनिज् वा *Pāṇini* V. i. 122 .
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Alankāra—दीपक—सकृद्वृत्तिस्तु धर्मस्य प्रकृताप्रकृतात्मनाम् *K. Pra.*
The common property शोभा i. e. beauty is mentioned only once
with regard to जनाः which is the matter in hand and मणि,
समरविजयी &c., which are not the matters in hand.

Metre—शिखरिणी. See Stanza 8.

Translation—A jewel cut on a polishing-stone, a conquer-
or wounded by weapons, an elephant weakened by passion,
rivers with their sandy banks laid bare in autumn, the moon
slendered into a crescent, a young damsel become languid
through enjoyment : all these appear beautiful by their slender-
ness : same is the case with persons whose wealth has been di-
minished by being given to the needy.

XLV.

Notes and Explanation—परिक्षीणः=In reduced circum-
stances. कश्चित्—see note on कश्चित् Stanza 2. प्रसृतये—प्रसृति-

Handful; पाणिर्निकुञ्जः प्रसूतिः *Amar.* The root स्मृद् governs the dative of the person or the thing desired. स्मृहेरोप्सितः *Pāṇini* I. iv. 36. संपूर्णः as opposed to परिक्षीणः; कलयति= Considers.

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अतः=Hence. अनैका०—अनैकान्त्यं=व्यभिचारः=Variability, Uncertainty. गुरुल०—गुरुश्च लघुश्च, तयोः भावः तथा. अर्थेषु=पदार्थेषु=In objects. अवस्था=The state of life. प्रथयति=पृथूनि करोति (Denominative from पृथु) Makes great.

The last two lines of the Stanza are intricate and have been variously explained. Some take अतः with अनैकान्त्यात् but it is better to take it as showing an Illative relation of the previous statement with what follows. धनिनां अर्थेषु अनैकान्त्यात् अवस्था एव गुरुलघुतया वस्तूनि प्रथयति च संकोचयति च is a construction adopted by some, where अर्थ is taken to mean 'wealth'; but we would prefer to take the word in its general and wider sense पदार्थ, and construe धनिनां with अवस्था and गुरुलघुतया with अनैकान्त्यात्, the meaning of the instrumental being प्रयोज्यत्व *i. e.* गुरुलघुताप्रयोज्यं यदनैकान्त्यं तस्मात्. In taking गुरुलघुतया with प्रथयति &c. the construction becomes an involved one and the ययासंख्य भन्वय of the compound phrase गुरु०—तया with two separate verbs प्रथयति and संकोचयति is also not free from fault. Taking all these points into consideration we would construe the lines as अतः, अर्थेषु गुरुलघुतया अनैकान्त्यात् धनिनां अवस्था (परिक्षीणावस्था संपूर्णावस्था च) वस्तूनि प्रथयति च संकोचयति च. Mr. Telang's translation of these two lines coincides with our construction except the interpretation of अतः

Metre—शिखरिणी. See Stanza 8.

*Translation—*An impoverished person longs for a handful of barley, but when, after a time, he has recovered he counts the world as straw; hence, there is variability with regard to the greatness and smallness attached to things in consequence

of which (it is to be inferred) that it is the condition of the rich which makes things big or small.

XLVI.

Notes and Explanation—**दुधु०**—*Desi.* of दुह्. तेन is here in the sense of तर्हि. **अद्य**—The propriety of this word in the Stanza is not clear. **पुषाण**—*Imper. 2nd per. Sing.* of पुष्. नानाफलैः फलति is a curious phrase.

Alankára—**उपमा**. The continuity of comparison in the Stanza has not been preserved throughout.

Metre—**वसन्ततिलका**. See Stanza 2.

Translation—Oh King ! If thou desirest to milk this cow in the form of the earth *i. e.* to enjoy the world, then take care of the subjects who are like a calf. If they (the calf) be constantly well-looked after the soil will yield various fruits like the creeper of plenty.

XLVII.

Notes and Explanation—**अर्थपरा**=Covetuous. **वदान्या**=Liberal. **नित्य०**—नित्यं व्ययः यस्यां सा. **प्रचु०**—प्रचुरः नित्यं धनागमः यस्यां = In which there is a continuous and plentiful acquisition of wealth.

Alankára—**उपमा**. *Metre*—**वसन्ततिलका**.

Translation—Now false now true; now with harsh now with agreeable words, now cruel now merciful; at one time covetous at another liberal; either always squandering money or continuously heaping it together—such is the policy of kings like a courtesan who has manifold appearances.

XLVIII.

Notes and Explanation—आज्ञा=Authority, power to command. निदेशः शासनं च सः ॥ शिष्टिश्चाज्ञा *Amar.* See Stanza 103 *infra*. येषां—The genitive is used in the sense of simple relation according to the sutra षष्ठी शेषे *Pāṇini* II. iii. 50 . गुणाः = 606
Good things. कोऽर्थः See note on किम् in Stanza 21. The reading सज्जनानाम् would, in these days, be more agreeable.

Metre—शालिनी—शालिन्युक्ता म्ती मती गोऽन्धिलेकैः The pause is after the 4th syllable.

Translation—Authority, fame, the guarding of Bráhmans, liberality, enjoyment, protection of friends : what profit is there to those who serve kings if they have not gained these six blessings ?

XLIX.

Notes and Explanation—निज०—निजे भालपदे लिखितं. स्तो-
कं—A little. मरु०=म्रियन्तेऽस्मिन् भूतानि (जलभावात्) इति मरुः= Waterless tract, a desert. In these days Maru is the tract known as Márwád in which there are large areas extending over miles without a drop of water where mirages are seen during the hot season. नितरां—see note Stanza 18. मेरौ=On the mountain of gold. मेरुः सुमेरुर्हेमाद्री रत्नसानुः सुरालयः *Amar.* “The mount Meru, which is formed of gold and jewels is according to the geography of the Purānas the central point of the earth round which the whole firmament of stars is supposed to revolve.” *Kāle.* तत्-- तस्मात्, therefore. कृपणां वृत्तिः=Humiliating conduct. मा कृथाः— see note on मावमस्याः Stanza 17. तुल्यं=Equal, same.

Alankāra—काव्यलिङ्ग because the phrase कूपे पश्य &c., constitutes the reason for पीरो भव &c.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. *see* Stanza 6.

Translation—The quantity of wealth written on the forehead by fate, whether it be little or much, is gained for a fact in a desert and no more even on mount Meru. Be patient therefore, and do not uselessly adopt a humiliating conduct towards the rich. Mark ! a jar takes up the same quantity of water whether it be from the well or the ocean.

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Notes and Explanation—गोचरः— *see* note, Stanza 16. कार्पण्योक्ति = Humiliating words. *Cf.* दीनं वचः in next Stanza. The reading adopted by us preserves 'sequence of voice.'

It is a popular belief that the water fallen on the earth is not congenial to the Chátaka, धरणीपतितं तोयं चातकानां रुजाकरं *Raghuv.* V. 17 and that he depends for drink on the clouds from where he gets only a few drops of water. For the same idea *see* the next Stanza and *Misc*: Stanza. 11.

Alankára—अप्रस्तुतप्रशंसा. *Metre*—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—Who does not know thee, oh cloud ! as the only support of the Chátaka. Why, Oh most beneficent cloud ! dost thou wait for our cry of misery.

LI.

Notes and Explanation—साव०—सावधाने च तत् मनश्च, तेन = Attentively. क्षणं—*accu.* of time. कालाध्वनोरत्यन्तसंयोगे *Páni*: II. iii. 5. 558

नैता०—न विवक्षितसदृशाः = मनोरथपूरकाः not such (as fulfill one's desires). यं यं—तस्य तस्य—For the repetition *see* note on किञ्चित् Stanza 8 *supra*. पुरतः governs the genitive.

Alankára—अप्रस्तुतप्रशंसा. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Ah ! friend Chátaka ! listen attentively for a moment to what I say. There are no doubt numerous clouds in the sky, but all are not such as you expect them to be. Some wet the earth by their showers while others make a useless noise ; do not utter humiliating words before every one that you may chance to meet.

LII.

Notes and Explanation—अकारण०—कारणेन विग्रहः का०-विग्रहः स का०-वि० अका०-विग्रहः परधने परयोषिति &c., are instances of विषयसप्तमी; see note on मयि Stanza 2. दुरा०—दुष्टः आत्मा (स्वभावः) येषां ते दुरात्मानः, तेषां. इदम्—The subjects अकरुणत्वं, अ०-विग्रहः, स्पृहा &c., are in opposition to the pronoun इदम् with which the predicate agrees.

Metre—द्रुतविलम्बित—द्रुतविलम्बितमाह नभौ भरौ. Pause after every 4th syllable.

Translation—Cruelty, causeless quarrels, desire for another's wife or wealth, envy of the good or of one's own relatives. This is the natural characteristic of the wicked.

LIII.

Notes and Explanation—Mr. Telang observes that this Stanza is attributed to Chánakya.

Alankára—उष्टान्त see Stanza 15. There is a reflective representation between the उपमेय statement दुर्जनः परिहर्तव्यः &c. and the उपमान statement मणि०-सर्पः &c.

Translation—An evil man though he be adorned with learning should be avoided. Is a serpent though adorned with the ' serpent-stone ' not dangerous ?

LIV.

Notes and Explanation—The language of this Stanza is condensed; दुर्जनैः has to be taken as the subject in each of the several clauses. Construe ऋमति यः (ऋरूपः) गुणः सः दुर्जनैः जाड्यमिति ग-
प्यते &c; ऋमति-ऋः(लजा) अस्ति अस्येति ऋमान्, तस्मिन्. व्रतरुचौ=
व्रते रुचिः यस्य, तस्मिन्=In one who likes rigid vows. कैतवम्—
कितवस्य भावः = Shrewdness. निर्घृणता—(घृणा=compassion) =
Hard-heartedness, cruelty. मुनौ—दुःखेष्वनुद्विग्नमनाः सुखेषु विगतस्पृहः॥
वीतरागमयक्रोधः स्थिरधीर्मुनिरुच्यते *Bha : Gîtâ*. II. 56. The word ordi-
narily means मननशील i. e. contemplative, meditative. विमतिता =
Want of sense, foolishness. तेजस्वि०—see note on मनस्विन् in St. 33.
अवलिसता=Haughtiness, pride. अवलेपस्तु गर्वे स्याल्लेपने भूषणेऽपि च *Me-
dintî*. मुख०—निन्दितं मुखं (वचनं) अस्येति मुखरः; मुख+the affix र
added in the sense of मतुप (see note in Stanza 33) as per
Vârtika रप्रकरणे खमुखकुञ्जेभ्य उपसंह्यानम्. मुखरस्य भावः मुखरता=
garrulosity. को नाम—see note on को वा in St. 22. अङ्कितः=
कलङ्कितः Branded. Construe the last line तत् (तस्मात्) को नाम सः
गुणिनां गुणो भवेत् यो दुर्जनैर्नाङ्कितः.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—Evil-minded persons ascribe dulness to the
shy, hypocrisy to one who has a liking for rigid vows, deceit
in the case of the pure-minded, cruelty to the brave, ignorance
to one given to meditation, servility with reference to the
courteous, pride to the spirited, prattling to the eloquent, feeble-
ness to the steady: what trait, then, in persons possessed of
good qualities is not branded by the wicked ?

LV.

Notes and Explanation—लोभः=Greediness, avarice. This
has been looked upon as one of the greatest of human frailties.

यशो यशस्विनां शुद्धं श्लाघ्या ये गुणिनां गुणाः ॥ लोभः स्वल्पोऽपि तान्हन्ति श्वित्रं
रूपमिवेप्सितम् ॥ *Bhāgwata*. अगुणेन—गुणविरुद्धः अगुणः=दोषः The
opposite of merit; vice. The meanings of नम् (अ) are six:—
तत्सादृश्यमभावश्च तदन्यत्वं तदल्पता॥ अप्राशस्त्यं विरोधश्च नमर्याः षट् प्रकीर्तिताः॥

The meaning here is विरोध or opposition. पिशुनता=Wicked-
ness, slandering. पिशुनौ खलसूचकौ *Amara*. सत्यं=Truth, veracity;
सत्ये सर्वे प्रतिष्ठितं तस्मात्सत्यं परमं वदन्ति *Shruti*. सौजन्यं=Civility.
निजैः=With one's relatives. This reading is preferred to गुणैः
since a man possessed of civility can easily win over strangers
to himself, while mere civility alone cannot carry a man through
life. स्वमहिमा—for महिमा see note on तनिम्ना Stanza 44. धनैः
This is a reading decidedly preferable to जनैः. Bhartrihari looks
upon learning as the best of wealth, vide Stanzas 16, 20, 21.
अपयशः=Disgrace. संभावितस्य चाकीर्तिर्मरणादतिरिच्यते *Bhag. Gitā*.

This Stanza remarkably coincides with Stanza 21 in re-
gard to style and forms of expression.

Alankāra—प्रतीप. See Stanza 21.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—What other vice is there beyond avarice,
what sin can be worse than slandering, what worth of penances
when there is veracity, where is the need of a sacred place to
the pure mind, what need of relatives if there be civility, what
better ornament than one's own fame, what value of wealth
when there is learning and where remains the fear of death
after disgrace.

LVI.

Notes and Explanation—दिव०—धूसर=Pale. दिवसे धूसरः
अनक्षरं—न विद्यते अक्षरं (शास्त्रं) यस्मिन् तत्. स्वाकृ०—सुष्ठु आकृतिर्यस्य,
तस्य i. e. of one who has a handsome form. सत०—दुर्गतः=Dis-

tressed, in reduced circumstances. **नृपा०**—**नृपाङ्गनं** गतः Divitiyá Tatpurusha. See note on **रुछ०** in Stanza 30. In Mr. Telang's text we read **नृपाङ्गण** instead of **नृपाङ्गन**, but there is no special ruling for the change of न to ण in the word **अङ्गन**. Vishwakosha gives the word in the नान्त class. Jagadhara in his commentary on the *Málati-Mádhava* remarks:—"अङ्गणशब्दे विधायकाभावाण्णत्वधुतिर्युक्ता पृषोदरादित्वाण्णत्वमित्यपि वचोऽमूलकमेव." Likewise, Ruchipati the commentator of *Murári* has "अङ्गनशब्दो णकारान्तइति केचित्पठन्ति तदप्रामाणिकं, न च पृषोदरादिपाठेन णत्वमिति वाच्यं पृषोदरादिपाठे प्रमाणाभावात् तथाविधानुप्रासयमकादेरदर्शनाच्च." There are however rare instances such as *अध्यास्य सौरभेयं मौक्तिकश्चिरङ्गणेषु विहितमतिः Rasikaranjan Kāvya*, where it is absolutely necessary to take the word as **अङ्गण** without which the double meaning running through the poem cannot be preserved. If therefore the word has at all to be taken as **अङ्गण** it can only be done as suggested by *Rámáshramikára* by including it in the पृषोदर class. **एतानि**—Should be supplied in the last line:—**एतानि मे मनसि सप्त शल्यानि (भवन्ति)**.

Alankára—**समुच्चय**—तत्सिद्धिहेतावेकस्मिन् यत्रान्यत्तत्करं भवेत् ॥ **समुच्चयोऽसौ. K. Pra.** Here **दिवसधूसरशशी** is alone sufficient to become a शल्य to my heart. Yet other शल्याs such as **गलितयौवना कामिनी &c.**, are mentiond.

Metre—**पृथ्वी. Vide Stanza 4.**

Translation—The moon obscured by day light, a woman who has lost her youth, a pond destitute of lotuses, a person handsome but illiterate, a prince entirely devoted to money, a good man always in difficulties, an evil man frequenting a king's court : these are seven thorns to my mind.

LVII.

Notes and Explanation—**काञ्चित्**—see note on काञ्चित् St. 2. **चण्ड०**—चण्डः (अत्यन्तः तीव्रः वा) कोपः येषां ते चण्डकोपाः, तेषां=of those who are highly irascible, full of wrath. **होतारं**—*accu : sing.* of होतृ one of the chief sacrificial priests. There are sixteen priests at a grand sacrifice:—ब्रह्मा, अध्वर्यु, प्रस्थाता, नेष्टा, उन्नेता, ब्राह्मणोच्छंसी, अग्नीध्रः, पोता, उद्राता, प्रस्तोता, प्रतिहर्ता, अस्तुब्राह्मणः, होता, मैत्रावरुणः, अच्छावाक, and यावस्तुतः; of these होता, उद्राता, अध्वर्यु and ब्रह्मा are the chief. **जुव्हानं** is not the present participle of हु, since the root is Parasmaipadi; जुहोति तच्छीलः जुव्हानः, तं—see note on जीवमान in Stanza 12. There is a variant in which the present participle of this root is found.

Alankāra—दृष्टान्त. *Metre*—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—Kings full of wrath have verily none whom they call their own. The sacred fire burns even the priest who usually offers oblations, if he happens to touch it.

LVIII.

Notes and Explanation—**प्रवचनपटुः**=Eloquent. **चाटुलः**—चटु+लच् (ल)=चटुल. The affix लच् is optionally added to words of the सिध्म class in the sense of possessive affixes, सिध्मादि-भ्यश्च *Pānini* V. ii. 97; चटुल एव चाटुलः Flatterer. **जल्पकः**=A garrulous person. Regularly the word ought to be जल्पाकः but as it stands it is to be analysed as जल्पतीति जल्पः, कुत्सितः जल्पः जल्पकः. For the use of the affix कन् (क) see note on अस्थिकं in Stanza 30. **अप्रगल्भः**=Bashful. **प्रायशः**=Probably. **अभिजातः**=Well-born. **अभिजातः कुलीने स्यान्म्याग्र्यपण्डितयोस्त्रिषु** *Medinī*. **योगि०**—योगिन्=A contemplative saint, one practising Yoga and therefore endowed with the power of knowing past, present and fu-

ture. In the case of potential passive participles the agent of the action is put in the genitive or instrumental case, कृत्यानां कर्तरि वा *Pāṇini* II. iii. 71 . अगम्यः=Not fathomable.
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Metre—मन्दाक्रान्ता—मन्दाक्रान्ताम्बुधिरसनगैर्मो भनौ तौ गयुग्मम्.
Pause after the 4th and then after the 6th syllable.

Translation—One who holds silence is considered dumb, he who is clever in speech is marked a flatterer or a garrulous fellow, the man who stands close by is looked upon as forward while he who remains at a distance is considered bashful, the forbearing is counted as timid, the impetuous is generally viewed as ill-bred. Inscrutable are the rules of conduct in service: they are beyond the comprehension even of contemplative saints.

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LIX.

Notes and Explanation—उद्भासिता०—उद्भासिताः अखिलाः खलाः येन, तस्य.=of him who has imparted lustre to all scoundrels, i. e. who has brought notoriety to the whole set. Commentary V₁ has explained this as उदयं प्रापिताः अखिलाः खलाः येन. विशृ०—विशृङ्खल=Unbridled, unlicensed. प्राग्जात०—प्राग्जातानि [पश्चात्] विस्त्रुतानि [यानि] निजाधमकर्माणि तेषु वृत्तिः (आसक्तिः) यस्य, तस्य=Of one who indulges in wicked deeds commenced before and now developed. गोच०=By those come within the range of. For गोचर see note in Stanza 16. सुखमा०—The difference in the readings is clear.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. see Stanza 2.

Translation—What persons can have peace when they happen to fall within the range of a low man who is (as it were) a luminary of all scoundrels, who indulges in wicked

deeds commenced before and now developed, who has quite luckily come across wealth and who has been an enemy to all good qualities.

LX.

Notes and Explanation—आर०—आरम्भे गुर्वी. गुर्वी—femine of गुरु. Adjectives ending in उ not preceded by a conjunct consonant except खरु take ङीष् (ई) optionally to form their feminine bases. वीतो गुणवचनात् *Pāṇini* IV. i. 44. and खरुसंयोगो-
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पधान *Vartika*. दिनस्य पूर्वार्धपरार्धभिन्ना is an instance of the एकदेशी अन्वय for which see note on परेषां Stanza 26. पूर्वार्धं च परार्धं च ताभ्यां भिन्ना.=“ Distinguished (i. e. as belonging to) the first half and the second half ” *Telang*. खल०—खलाख सज्जनाख तेषाम्.

Alankra—उपमा. *Metre*—उपजाति.

Translation—The friendship of good men and of evil men differs as widely as the shadow (of an object) in the first half and the latter half of the day. In the first case great at the commencement it gradually diminishes. In the second, small at first it goes on increasing.

LXI.

Notes and Explanation—तृण०—तृणं च जलं च संतोषश्च, तैः विहिता वृत्तिः येषां, तेषां. वृत्तिर्वर्तनजीवने *Amar*. Really speaking संतोष cannot be the means of subsistence though the word is co-ordinated with तृण and जल. The phrase संतोषविहितवृत्तयः here, is equal to यदच्छालभसंतुष्टाः i. e. content with whatever may be got. निष्का०—निष्कारणं वैरिणः निष्कारणवैरिणः wanton enemies.

Alankāra—यथासंख्य—यथासंख्यं क्रमेणैव क्रमिकाणां समन्वयः *K*.

Pra. In this Stanza लुब्धक, धीवर and पिशुन are mentioned as the enemies of मृग, मीन and सज्जन respectively. Hence this is यथासंख्य.

Metre—आर्या. see Stanza 3.

Translation—The deer, the fish, and the good are satisfied with grass, water and anything that may be got by chance; still in this world the huntsman, the fisherman and the wicked are their wanton enemies.

LXII

Notes and Explanation—सज्जन०—For the locative see note on मयि Stanza 2. व्यसनं=Devotion व्यसनं त्वशुभे सकौ *Medi*.. रति=Affection, attachment. लोका०—अपवाद=Censure. अपवादस्तु निन्दायामाज्ञाविभ्रमयोरपि *Mukuta*. In the case of words expressing fear or protection from danger, that from which the fear or danger proceeds is put in the ablative case. भीत्रार्थानां भयहेतुः *Pānini* I. 4. 25 . शालिनि=In the god Shiva. आत्म०—

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आत्मनः दमनं, तस्मिन्=In self-denial, in restraining the mind. आत्मा कलेवरे यस्मै स्वभावे परमात्मनि ॥ चित्ते धृतौ च बुद्धौ च परव्यावर्तनेऽपि च *Dharanī*. खले संसर्गमुक्तिः For the construction see note on परेषां in Stanza 26, and Stanza 60. The reading खलेषु breaks the uniformity of construction with regard to the use of the singular.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. see Stanza 6.

Translation—Desire for the company of the good, regard for the merits of others, reverence for elders, diligence in acquiring knowledge, affection for one's own wife, fear of the world's blame, devotion for Shiva, power of self-restraint, freedom from the contact of an evil man: persons in whom these excellent qualities reside are to be respected.

LXIII.

Notes and Explanation—**वाक्पटुता**=Skill or ability in speech, eloquence. **युधि**—*Loc*: *Sing.* of युध् battle. **श्रुतौ**=In the Vedás. **इदम्**—see note on this word in Stanza 52.

Metre—**द्रुतविलम्बित**—see Stanza 52.

Translation—Firmness in adversity, forbearance in prosperity, eloquence in an assembly, bravery in battle, desire for glory, devotion for the Vedás: this is the natural characteristic of the high-minded.

LXIV.

Notes and Explanation—**प्रच्छन्नं**=Concealed. **संभ्रमविधिः**=Arrangement of welcome. संभ्रमः साध्वसेऽपि स्यात् संवेगादरयो-
रपि *Mediní*. “The usual meaning of hurry may also do. It would mean the flutter of preparation to do due honour.” *Telang*.
उपकृतेः—**परकृतोपकारस्य**=of favours or benefits received. **अनुत्सेकः**=Absence of haughtiness or pride. For the meaning of नञ् (अन्) see note on अगुण in Stanza 55. **निरभिः**—अभिभव=Contempt. निर्गतः अभिभवः यस्मात् सः सारः यासु ताः. For the meaning of the last line see note on same in Stanza 28. This Stanza occurs as an instance of समुच्चयालंकार in Kuwalayánanda with a variation in the reading which is as follows :—

प्रदानं प्रच्छन्नं गृहमुपगते संभ्रमविधि

निरुत्सेको लक्ष्म्यामनभिभवगन्धाः परकयाः ॥

प्रियं कृत्वा मौनं सदसि कथनं चाप्युपकृतेः

श्रुतेऽत्यन्तासक्तिः पुरुषमभिजातं कथयति ॥१॥

Metre—**शिखरिणी**. See Stanza 8.

Translation—Secret generosity, cheerful hospitality to strangers arrived at one's house, doing good to others and being silent about it, but proclaiming among people the benefits re-

ceived from others, absence of pride in prosperity, speaking of others in terms free from contempt: who has taught to the good this excessively difficult conduct as sharp as the edge of a sword.

LXV.

Notes and Explanation—करे०—करे श्लाघ्यस्त्वागः see St. 71.

गुरु०—प्रणयिता=Devotion. Some commentators interpret the word by नम्रता, but for this sense the word प्रवणता would have been more appropriate. विजयि०—Krishna Shāstree takes विजयि as a separate word going with वीर्यम् but we would prefer to construe it with भुजयोः. विजयेते तच्छीलौ विजयिनौ, तौ च भुजौ च, तयोः. हृदि—Loc. singular of हृदय. The word हृदय optionally takes the form हृद् before all terminations commencing with the accusative plural e. g. हृदयानि, हृन्दि, &c., हृदये, हृदि; see Pānini VI. i. 63. 228

हृद् may also be taken as a separate word of which हृदि is the locative singular. स्वान्तं हन्मानसं मनः Amar. स्वच्छा = निर्मल pure, clean. The reading is obviously preferable. श्रुतं—see note in St. 41. Cf. श्रोत्रं श्रुतेनैव न कुण्डलेन; St. 71. अधिगतं=Obtained, acquired. ऐश्वर्येण—governed by विना. The indeclinables पृथक्, विना, and नाना govern the ablative, the accusative and the instrumental cases; पृथग्विनानानाभिस्तृतीयान्यतरस्याम् Pānini II. iii. 32. 603.

प्रकृ०—प्रकृत्या महान्तः तेषां. इदम्—see note Stanza 52.

Alankāra—विभावना—विभावना विनापि स्यात्कारणं कार्यजन्म चेत्. *Kuvala*. In this Stanza the result मण्डन is narrated without ऐश्वर्य its cause.

Metre—शिखरिणी. See Stanza 8.

Translation—Liberality is the fitting virtue for the hand, bowing at the feet of elders for the head, true speech for the

mouth, incomparable prowess for valiant arms, pure feeling for the heart, the acquisition of the Shástrás for the ears : this is the adornment of persons naturally great even without any other pomp.

LXVI.

Notes and Explanation—महा०—महांश्वासौ शैलश्च, तस्य शिलानां संघातः, स इव कर्कशम्=As hard as the collection of stones on a big mountain, or a great mountain-rock. Cf. विपदि धैर्यम् &c., St. 63.

Alankára—उपमा. *Metre*—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—In prosperity the heart of the great is as soft as a lotus but it is as hard as a great mountain-rock in adversity.

LXVII.

Notes and Explanation—संतप्ता०—(अयस्=Iron) on red hot iron. नामा०—Even the name is not heard. नामश्रवण is more appropriate than नामज्ञान, as it is usual to hear of a name than to perceive it; hence the reading श्रूयते. तदेव=The same (water). स्वात्याम्—During the time the Sun is in the Swáti Nakshatra. See Pálini IV. ii. 3 and the next Sutra. The

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Swáti Nakshatra annually comes on the ecliptic about the 22nd of October. It has been a belief that the rain-drops falling into the open oysters during Swáti become pearls. For this see *Brihatsamhitá* of Varáhmihira chap. XV. 13.

Cf. पात्रविशेषे न्यस्तं गुणान्तरं व्रजति शिल्पमाधातुः

जलमिव समुद्रशुक्लौ मुक्ताफलतां पयोदस्य ॥ १ ॥ *Málaviká*.

साग०—सागरे या शुक्तिः तस्याः मध्ये पतितं. सन्मौक्तिक=A good pearl. We have preferred the reading सत् for तत्. The Ma-

ráthi poet Váman Pandit has also adopted the same in his translation :—

ते स्वातीस्तव अग्निशुक्लिपुटकीं मोतीं घडे नेटके.

अधमम०—अधमश्च मध्यमश्च उत्तमश्च एषां समाहारः अ०—तमं, तच्चासौ गुणश्च, अघ०—गुणः. जायते—The repetition of this verb in the last line with the same meaning as in the previous one is rhetorically considered a defect.

Alankára—अर्थान्तरन्यास. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Not even a vestige remains of the water thrown on hot iron, the same shines in the form of a pearl on a lotus-leaf, should it fall in an oyster-shell during the period of the Swáti Nakshatra it becomes a splendid pearl; in the same manner, the disposition of men generally becomes bad, middling or excellent according to company.

LXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—प्रीणाति=Pleases. Our reading preserves the uniformity of Mood and Tense throughout the Stanza. भर्तुः—The use of the genitive with the word हितम् is a controvertible point among grammarians. By the special Vártika हितयोगे च the phrase ought to have been भर्त्रे हितम्; but the use of the genitive is allowed by some grammarians under the Sutra षष्ठी शेषे. एव—The force of the indeclinable in the place where it stands is to bring out the pre-eminent position in which a wife is to regard her husband according to Hindu ideas. Mr. Telang remarks that this word “is better construed with हितम् than with भर्तुः.” The word does not appear to us to be necessary, the force being conveyed by the context itself in such constructions. Cf. स जातो येन जातेन याति वंशः समुन्नतिम्. Since the word does appear in the text, we would construe it after the

pronoun तद् in each of the statements as स एव पुत्रः, तदेव कलत्रम्, तदेव मित्रम्. कलत्रम्—Wife; a neuter noun. The genders in Sanskrit are more or less arbitrary and depend more on usage than on any rules as said by Patanjali लिङ्गमशिष्यं लोकाश्रयत्वालिङ्गस्य. For instance, there are three words in the three genders for a wife दार masc: (always in plural.) भार्या femi: and कलत्र neut: एतद्—see note on इदम् in Stanza 52. त्रयम्—see note on द्वयी in Stanza 33. पुण्यकृतः—nom. plu. of पुण्यकृत a meritorious person. The word is formed from पुण्य+the root कृ according to the Sūtra सुकर्मपापमन्त्रपुण्येषु कृञः Pāṇini III. ii. 89 .
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This sutra has been a great point of discussion between the old and new grammarians.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. see Stanza 2.

Translation—He is the worthy son who delights his father by good actions, she is the wife who seeks her husband's good, he is the friend whose conduct is the same in prosperity as well as in adversity. It is the meritorious who get these three things in this world.

LXIX.

Notes and Explanation—स्वान्गुणा०="Showing their own good qualities (namely, good nature, freedom from envy &c.,) by describing the good qualities of others " Telang. वितत०—आरम्भाः=आरभ्यन्ते इति आरम्भाः Deeds, actions. पृथुतराश्च ते आरम्भाश्च, तेषु यज्ञः पृ०—यज्ञः; विततः (कृतः विस्तृतः वा) पृ०—यज्ञः यैः येषां वा, ते. आक्षेप०—आक्षेप=reviling. आक्षेपो भर्त्सना कृष्टिः Medini. आक्षेपैः रुक्षाणि अक्षराणि, तैः मुखरं (सशब्दं) मुखं येषां, तान्. " क्षान्त्यैव &c.=re-buking only by patience those revilers whose mouths are full of harsh and slanderous words." Telang. साध्वर्य०—साध्वर्या चर्या येषां ते, of admirable conduct. कस्य—For the use of the genitive see note on योगिनां in Stanza 58.

Metre—छन्दः. See Stanza 26.

Translation—Those who are ennobled by humility, who display their own virtues by relating the virtues of others, who achieve their own objects by extended efforts in large deeds undertaken for others, who rebuke, only by their patience evil-speakers whose mouths are full of harsh and slanderous words, are the persons of admirable conduct commanding the respect of all in this world : who would not respect them ?

LXX.

Notes and Explanation—नम्राः=Bent down; gentlemanly, well-behaved. भूमिविलम्बिनः—विलम्बन्ते तच्छीलाः विलम्बिनः (आश्रयिणः); भूमेः विलम्बिनः भूमिविलम्बिनः=touching the earth. Rain-giving clouds known as 'nimbus' are always on the horizon nearer the earth than the other classes of clouds. The present reading has been preferred to भूरि on this argument. अनुसृताः=नम्राः. This Sloka occurs in the fifth act of the Shákuntala.

Alankára—प्रतिवस्तूपमा and also अर्थान्तरन्यास. Rághav-bhatta in his commentary on this Sloka has mentioned क्रिया-दीपक and मालादीपक as the Alankáras existing in this Stanza besides the above.

Metre—वंशस्थ—जतौ तु वंशस्यमुदीरितं जरौ.

Translation—Trees bend down under the weight of fruits, clouds surcharged with an addition of new water hang down near the earth : good men are not up-lifted through prosperity. Such is the natural disposition of the liberal.

LXXI.

Notes and Explanation—धृतेन = By the Shástrás.

Alankāra—परिसंख्या—किंचित्पृष्ठमपृष्ठं वा कथितं यत्प्रकल्पते ॥
तादृगन्यव्यपोहाय परिसंख्या तु सा स्मृता ॥ *K. Pra.* Here mention has
specially been made of the Shāstrās &c., as imparting lustre to
the ear &c., for the purpose of excluding the ear-ring &c., which
are the common ornaments.

Metre—उपजाति. See Stanza 12.

Translation—The ear is adorned by hearing the Shāstrās
and not by an ear-ring, the hand by liberality and not by a
bracelet : the whole person of the kind-hearted shines by doing
good to others and not by anointing sandal-ointment.

LXXII.

Notes and Explanation—पापात्—The use of the abla-
tive is noteworthy. That from which a person is warded off or
prevented is put in this case. वारणार्थानामीप्सितः *Pāninī* I. iv. 27.
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योजयते हिताय—This phrase can be interpreted in three ways
(1) causes him (the friend) to apply himself to the achievement of
of his own good (हितं साधयितुं) [अर्थात् शुभे कर्मणि] प्रवर्तयति. (2) ap-
plies himself to his (friend's) good (आत्मानं) हिताय योजयते. (3) un-
dertakes to work for his good हितं कर्तुं उद्युङ्क्ते. In the last case
the verb loses its causal force निवृत्तप्रेषणाद्वाताहर्तुमण्णौ शुद्धेन तुल्योर्थः,
तेन ' प्रार्थयन्ति शयनोत्थितं प्रियाः ' इत्यादि सिद्धम् *Sid. Kau* : हिताय—
Mark the use of the Dative. हिताय योजयते=हितं कर्तुं or साधयितुं
योजयते. When the sense of an ' infinitive of purpose ' is sup-
pressed in a sentence the object of this infinitive is put in the
dative case. क्रियार्थोपपदस्य च कर्मणि स्थानिनः *Pāninī* II. iii. 14.
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आप०—आपदं गतः आपद्रतः, तं. See note on कृच्छ्रगतः in Stanza 30.

Metre—वसन्तातिलका. see Stanza 2.

Translation—The wise have laid down the following as the characteristics of a true friend ; he dissuades his friend from evil acts, puts him to whatever may conduce to his welfare, rigidly keeps his secret, declares his good qualities, does not abandon him in difficulty and renders him timely help by giving.

LXXIII.

Notes and Explanation—पद्माकरं—आकर=Collection. विकचीकरोति=opens out. प्रफुल्लेत्फुल्लसंफुल्लव्याकोशविकचस्फुटाः *Amar.* विकासयति=opens out. Mr. Telang has विकाशयति but the word is found generally written with the dental स in the sense of 'blowing out', 'expanding', hence the reading adopted by us. कैरव=White lotus. सिते कुमुदकैरवे *Amar.* चक्रवाल=Collection. चक्रवालं तु मण्डलम् *Amar.* The lotus-flower has been widely alluded to by Sanskrit poets in their compositions. The Padma or Pankaja is supposed to open out under the influence of the rays of the sun while the Kairawa or Kumuda which is white, opens by moonlight. It has been a convention among Sanskrit poets to describe particular things in a particular manner.

अन्ध्यम्भोजं निशाया विकसति कुमुदं चन्द्रिका शुक्लपक्षे

मेघध्वानेषु नृत्यं भवति च शिखिनां नाप्यशोके फलं स्यात् ॥

न स्याज्जाती बसन्ते न च कुसुमफले गन्धसारद्रुमाणा-

मित्याद्युन्नेयमन्यत्कविसमयगतं सत्कवीनां प्रबन्धे ॥१॥ *Sāhitya Darp.*

नाभ्यर्थितः=Unasked. This phrase is to be applied to दिनकर, चन्द्र and जलधर. अपि—This particle does not make a very good sense in its present position. It should be construed with नाभ्यर्थितः. स्वयं=of their own accord. कृता०—अभियोग=perseverence, application.

Alankāra—अर्थान्तरन्यास. *Metre*—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—The sun even though unasked opens a collection of Padma lotuses, the moon though unsolicited expands a group of Kairawa lotuses, the cloud gives water even without being importuned: the good are of their own accord perseveringly devoted to the interest of others.

LXXIV.

Notes and Explanation—एते—Mr. Telang has एके which he renders by 'some'. The correlative of the pronoun ये is ते in the 3rd line, and the construction is ते एते सत्पुरुषाः ये &c. The adoption of the reading एते instead of एके gives a greater force to the principal assertion. परा०—घटकाः=accomplishers. तु—This particle is used for the sake of emphasis. उद्यम०—उद्यमं विभ्रति ते. मानुष०—मानुषाः राक्षसाः इव A Karmadhāraya compound under the Sūtra उपमितं व्याघ्रादिभिः सामान्याप्रयोगे *Pāṇini* II. i. 56. ⁷⁸⁵ स्वार्थाय—For the use of the dative, see note on हिताय Stanza 72. ये तु घ्नन्ति—This has evidently a greater force than ये निघ्नन्ति.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Those men are good men who accomplish the good of others disregarding their own; those are ordinary men who devote themselves to do good to others in a manner as not to clash with their own interests; those are monsters in human form who destroy the good of others for their own profit. However, we do not know what to call those who aimlessly cause injury to another's prospects.

LXXV.

Notes and Explanation—आत्म०—आत्मानं गते च तत् उदकं च तस्मै. पुरा—(*Indecl.*) At first. ते=Well-known. तापम्—

This word has a double sense (1) Heat (2) irritation. **तेन पयसा**=By that water. For the use of the pronoun तद् in the phrases ते गुणाः, तेन पयसा and तेन जलेन see note on तानि &c., in Stanza 40. **पयः क्षीरं पयोम्बु च** Amar. **स्वात्मा**=One's own form. For the several meanings of आत्मन् see note, Stanza 62. The reading is decidedly preferable to **आत्मा**. **कृशानौ**=In fire. **कृशानुः पावकोऽनलः** Amar. **उन्मनः**—उत्कण्ठितं मनः यस्य तत् anxious, impatient. **उत्क उन्मनाः** Amar. **तत्**—That [milk]. **युक्तम्**—Some commentators render this by उचितम् but we prefer to construe it with तेन जलेन in the sense of 'joined to', 'mixed' as suggested by Mr. Telang. **पुनस्तु**—These two particles together are used in the sense of 'exactly'. The particles may be taken separately and construed as तेन जलेन पुनः युक्तं तु शाम्यति. "The Stanza, it needs scarcely be said, gives a moral aspect to the actual physical phenomenon of boiling milk being prevented from overflowing by water being thrown upon it". Telang.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. see Stanza 6.

Translation—At first milk imparted all its well-known qualities to the water mixed with it. Perceiving heat in the milk the water burnt itself in fire; the milk in its turn noticing the distress of its companion became impatient to throw itself in the fire, but when again mixed with water it became still. Such is the friendship of the good.

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LXXVI.

Notes and Explanation—**इतः**—Here; when it is repeated with two or more assertions it means 'in one place—in another place', 'here—there'. **कुलम्**—Host, family. **तदी०**—तस्य इमे तदीयाः, तेषां द्विषः, त०—द्विषः=The enemies of his followers i. e. the demons such as Kálakeyás, Lawana, Shankha &c. Through

the support of Vrittrásura the Kálakeyás troubled the gods but when Vritra was killed they concealed themselves in the ocean. *Vide Mahá Bhárata Vana Parva 102-105.* शरणार्थिनः—शरणमर्थयन्ते इति शरणार्थिनः. शिखरिणां गणाः—see the reference quoted in Stanza 36. Mr. Telang is not aware of more than one mountain Maináka having sought shelter in the ocean, but the following Stanza has a reference in this connection :—

पक्षच्छिदा गोत्रमिदात्तगन्धाः शरण्यमेनं शतशो महीध्राः ॥

नृपा इवोपप्लविनः परेभ्यो धर्मोत्तरं मध्यममाश्रयन्ते ॥ *Raghu XIII. 7.*

वडवानलः=The submarine fire. और्वस्तु वाडवो वडवानलः *Amar.* This fire was an outcome from the thigh of the sage Urva, as will be seen from the following reference उर्वेण किलायोनिजपुत्रार्थिना ऊर्मयितः, तत्र ज्वालामयः पुरुषो जातः, तस्य च समुद्र आधार आसीत् इति श्रुतिः—इति मुकुटः see *Misc. Stanza 9.* सह—Particles expressing 'accompaniment' such as सह, साकं, सार्धं, समं &c., govern the instrumental case. समस्तसंवर्तकैः=with all the fires of destruction. अहो=Oh what wonder. विततं=Extensive, wide. ऊर्जितं=Powerful. भरसहं—सहते इति सहं, भरस्य सहं भरसहं able to endure burden, mighty.

Alankára—अप्रस्तुतप्रशंसा. *Metre*—पृथ्वी. see Stanza 4.

Translation—Oh what wonder! How wide, powerful and mighty is the expanse of the ocean, (for) on one side of it sleeps Keshawa, on the other there is the host of enemies of his followers; in one place lie the numerous mountains seeking shelter, in another there is the submarine fire with all the fires of destruction.

LXXVII.

Notes and Explanation—जहि—*Imp*: 2nd per: *Sing* of हन् to kill. मा कृथाः—see note on मावमंस्थाः Stanza 17. साधु—Path of the virtuous. अनुनय=appease.

Mr. Telang looks upon the construction of the Stanza as similar to that of Stanza 51, *Canto I of Māgha* according to Sutra समुच्चयेऽन्यतरस्याम्. In such constructions all the verbs must be in the Imperative mood, but here माक्र्याः an aorist form breaks the uniformity of the mood and therefore the construction cannot come under the scope of the Sutra alluded to.

Alankāra—समुच्चय and दीपक. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Restrain desire, cultivate forbearance, leave off pride, have no inclination for evil deeds, speak the truth, follow the path of the righteous, seek the company of the learned, honour the respectable, appease even enemies, conceal your own virtues, guard your reputation, be kind to the distressed—such is the conduct of the good.

LXXVIII

Notes and Explanation—पुण्य०—पुण्यमेवपीयूषं (अमृतं) तेन पूर्णाः. त्रिभुवनम्—त्रयाणां भुवनानां समाहारः त्रिभुवनम्. This is a Samāhāra Dwigu compound. उपकारश्रे०—श्रेणि=A line, series. The ending vowel of this word is either short or long according to the Vārtika कृदिकारादक्षिणः. Here it is short while in Stanza 35, it is long. प्रीणयन्तः=Pleasing. This reading is obviously better than पूरयन्तः which conveys an impersonal idea. पर्वतीकृत्य—A compound phrase. नपर्वताः अपर्वताः, तान् पर्वतत्वेन संपन्नान् कृत्वा पर्वतीकृत्य. निजहृदि—see note on हृदि in Stanza 65. कियन्तः=How many, a few.

Metre—मालिनी. See Stanza 17.

Translation—In this world, what a small number is there of good men whose thoughts, words and person are as it were filled with nectar in the form of meritorious deeds, who please the three worlds with numerous benevolent actions and who are always enlivened in their minds by exalting even the very smallest virtues of another to the size of a mountain.

LXXIX.

Notes and Explanation—**किं**—See note on this word St. 21. **हेम०**—हेमगिरि=Meru. See note on मेरौ Stanza 49. **रज-ताद्रि०**—This is not the Himálaya as some commentators take it, but is Kailása. see *Meghaduta* Stanza 58 and Mallinath's commentary thereon and also,

ईशः करस्थीकृतकाञ्चनाद्रिः कुबेरमित्रं रजताचलस्यः *Vishwagunádarsha.*

ते तरव एव—They are the same (unchanged) trees. **मन्यामहे**—We esteem, respect. **मलयम्**—A mountain in the south of India abounding in sandal trees. We do not understand how Mr. Telang accepts the reading **कुटजानि**, since the word is always found in the masculine. **चन्द०**—This word is either masculine or neuter. The masculine form harmonises better with the subject **कङ्को०—कुटजाः**.

Metre—**वसन्ततिलका**. See Stanza 6.

Translation—What profit is there in the mountain of gold (Meru) or in that of silver (Kailása) where the trees that grow remain the same trees (without any change). We honor the Malaya mountain alone, for by its contact even the Kaukola, the Nimba and the Kutaja become [acquire the fragrance of] sandal trees.

LXXX.

Notes and Explanation—**रत्नैः**—For the churning of the ocean and the acquisition of the fourteen jewels see *Máhá Bhá-rata*, *Ádiparva* 17-18, also *Bhágvata*, 8th *Skandha*. The jewels are enumerated in the following popular Sloka :—

लक्ष्मीः कौस्तुभपारिजातकसुरा धन्वन्तरिश्चन्द्रमा
गावः कामदुधाः सुरेश्वरगजो रम्भादिदेवाङ्गनाः ॥

अश्वः सप्तमुखो विषं हरिधनुः शङ्खोऽमृतं चाम्बुधे

रत्नानीह चतुर्दश प्रतिदिनं कुर्वन्तु वो मङ्गलम् ॥१॥

महार्हेः—महान् अर्हः (मूल्यम्) येषां, तैः=Very costly, precious. Cf. महार्हशय्यापरिवर्तनच्युतैः *Kumār V. 12.* **भोतिं न भोजिरे**=Did not give themselves up to fear, were not dissuaded through fear.

विना—See note on this word in Stanza 65. **निश्चितार्थात् विरमन्ति**—Words denoting जुगुप्सा ‘abhorrence’, विराम ‘cessation’, ‘refraining’ and प्रमाद ‘swerving from ’ govern the ablative case. जुगुप्साविरामप्रमादार्थानामुपसंख्यानम् *Vārtika.* Also see note on विरमन्ति in Stanza 27.

Alankāra—अर्थान्तरन्यास. *Metre*—उपेन्द्रवज्रा.

Translation—Costly jewels pleased not the gods, nor did terrible poison frighten them; they paused not till they had got the nectar: the strong-minded do not rest until they have gained the object on which they may have set their mind.

LXXXI.

Notes and Explanation—**कचित्-कचित्**=At one time—at another; now-now. **भूमौ शायी**—A grammatically better reading is भूमीशायी found in the copy in Benfey’s *Chrestomathie*. **शाका०**—Subsisting on vegetables. The words शाकाहारी, कन्धाधारी and कार्यार्थी are formed, under the Sutra सुप्यजातौ णिनिस्ताच्छील्ये *Pāṇi. III. ii. 78* whereby the affix णिनिः (इन्) is added to a root,

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when a Subanta other than one denoting a class precedes it, in the sense of ‘in the habit of’, ‘disposed to’. **शाल्यो०**—शाल्योदने रुचिः यस्य सः. **दिव्या०**—दिव्यं च तत् अम्बरं (वस्त्रं) च, तस्य धरः.

मनस्वी—See note in Stanza 33. **कार्यार्थी**—“Bent on business”, bent or resolved upon securing one’s own object.

Metre—शिखरिणी. See Stanza 8.

Translation—A man of constant mind resolved upon securing his own object heeds not pain or ease; at one time he may lie on the ground, at another he may sleep on a couch; now he may live on vegetables, now on cooked rice of superior variety; sometimes, he may wear a patched quilt of rags, at others a magnificent garment.

LXXXII.

Notes and Explanation—उपशमः=शान्तिः peace, steadiness.
 विनय—Modesty, reverence. प्रभवितुः=प्रभो: This is the only place in the Stanza where a concrete noun has been used.
 निर्व्याजता—Straightforwardness. सर्वेषाम्=Of all persons.
 सर्वकारणम्=cause of all, such as ऐश्वर्य &c. शीलम्—See Stanza 39. परम्—The best.

Alankāra—दीपक. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Courtesy is the ornament of affluence and reticence that of bravery; calmness is the ornament of knowledge, reverence that of learning; liberality towards worthy objects is the ornament of wealth, freedom from wrath that of practising penances; clemency is the ornament of the powerful, straightforwardness that of justice: good conduct, however, is the highest ornament for every one being the source of all virtues.

LXXXIII.

Notes and Explanation—नीतिनि०—Experts in the rules of conduct. यदि वा=अथवा. वा is an alternative conjunction meaning 'or'; its position is different in Sanskrit, being used either with each word or assertion or only with the last, but it is never used at the beginning of a clause. वा added to यदि gives a greater force. When repeated वा has the sense of

‘either-or’ ‘whether-or’. न्याय्यात्—See note in Stanza 28.
धीराः—धियं बुद्धिमीरयन्ति विचारेण सर्वतः प्रवर्तयन्ति इति धीराः *Rámar-shi*. धीरो धैर्यान्विते स्वैरे बुधे क्लीबं तु कुटुम्बे *Mediní*.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. see Stanza 6.

Translation—Let experts in the rules of conduct pass censure or award praise, fortune may come or go as it may list, death may come this day or be as far off as the next Yuga : but for all that the firm-minded do not swerve a step from the path of righteousness.

LXXXIV.

Notes and Explanation—“ This Stanza indicates fatalism pure and simple” by describing how a rat cut a hole in the basket in which a snake-charmer had confined a serpent, how it was devoured by him and how the latter gained strength by the food thus found and escaped by the same hole through which the rat went in. भग्ना०—भग्ना आशा यस्य तस्य=Of him who was disappointed (as regards escaping). करण्ड०—करण्डे पीडिता तनुः यस्य=Whose body was squeezed or pressed in the basket. नक्तम्—(*adv.*) at night. तत्पिशितेन—By his (the rat’s) flesh. तेनैव पथा यातः—Went away or escaped by the same path (*i. e.* the hole cut by the rat to get into the box). वृद्धौ क्षये—When a word indicating cause is used the effect is often put in the locative.

Alankára—प्रहर्षण—उत्कण्ठितार्थसंसिद्धिर्विनायत्नं प्रहर्षणम् *Kuwal*. Here the eagerness of the serpent to escape and get food has been described as fulfilled without any effort ; hence Praharsha-na. Kávyaprakásha includes this Alankára in Samádhi.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. see Stanza 6.

Translation—A serpent who was confined in a basket where- in his body was squeezed and whence he had lost all hope of

escape, was half-dead with hunger. Once on a night a rat made a hole in the basket (through which he got in) and fell into the jaws of the serpent. The latter revived by the rat's flesh speedily made his exit by the same path [by which the rat had entered]. Oh people ! behold, fate alone is the cause of the decline and prosperity of men.

LXXXV.

Notes and Explanation—साधु०—There is a play on the word वृत्त here. साधु वृत्त (conduct) येषां ते. As applied to the ball साधु यथा तथा वृत्ताः (वर्तुलः) well rounded, perfectly spherical. अस्थायि०—न तिष्ठन्ति तच्छीलः अस्थायिन्यः transient. Cf. misc : Stanza 13 *infra*.

Alankāra—श्लेष. *Metre*—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—A ball though thrown down by the strokes of the hand necessarily rebounds. Even so the misfortunes of good men are generally temporary.

LXXXVI.

Notes and Explanation—कृत्वा यं &c.,—Sometimes the relative pronoun यद् is used without its correlative तद्, for which see यच्छब्दस्तूत्तरवाक्यानुगतत्वेनोपात्तः सामर्थ्यात् पूर्ववाक्यानुगतस्य तच्छब्दस्योपादानं नापेक्षते K. Pra. The construction of the latter half of the Stanza is not rhetorically satisfactory since the pronoun यं refers to the noun उद्यम which has lost its prominence by being one of the members of a compound.

Alankāra—रूपक. *Metre*—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—Idleness is the great enemy of man residing in his body. There is no friend like industry, by resorting to which man never falls.

LXXXVII.

Notes and Explanation—रोहति=Grows. उपचीयते=Increases. विमृशन्तः=Thinking, considering. न सन्तप्यन्ते—Do not vex themselves. न ते विपदा—This is decidedly a better and easier reading.

Metre—आर्या. See Stanza 3.

Translation—A tree that is pruned sprouts afresh; likewise the waning moon waxes again: thus do wise men reflect and though distressed do not vex themselves.

LXXXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—दुर्गम्—Citadel. For the formation of the word see note in Stanza 14. किल=Indeed. ऐरावतः—The elephant of Indra—one of the fourteen jewels from the ocean; see note in Stanza 80. ऐश्व०—ऐश्वर्यं न बलं न ताभ्यां अन्वितः Possessed of wealth and army. बलमित्=Indra, the destroyer of the demon Bala. मग्नः=Vanquished. व्यक्तः=(adv:) Evidently. Construe दैवसरणमेव वरम्.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—Indra was guided by Brihaspati and was armed with the thunderbolt, the deities were his soldiers, Swarga was his citadel, Airāvata was his elephant; he was undoubtedly the favourite of Hari: though he had all this retinue and was endowed with power, still he was defeated in the battle by his enemies. Hence evidently the power of fate is all in all; Oh! fie on vain human efforts.

LXXXIX.

Notes and Explanation—**कर्मायत्तं** = Dependent on acts done in past life. **फल**—Result *viz* : pain or pleasure. **बुद्धिः** = Proclivity. **कर्मानुसारिणी**—In keeping with past acts. See Stanzas 94, 96, 97.

Compare :—

क्रिया शरीरोद्भवहेतुरादृता प्रियाप्रियौ तौ भवतः सुराणिः ॥

धर्मेतरौ तत्र पुनः शरीरकं पुनः क्रियाश्चक्रवदीर्यते भवः ॥ *Rāmagītā*.

कर्मानुरूपाणि शुभाशुभानि प्राप्नोति सर्वोऽपि जनः फलानि ॥

आद्यन्तशून्येऽत्र जगत्प्रवाहे क्रिया भवेत्कर्मत एव सर्वा ॥

कर्माऽपि पुंसां भवति क्रियातो बीजाङ्कुरन्यायतया न दोषः ॥

Vidvanmôdataranginī.

पुण्यः पुण्येन कर्मणा भवति पापः पापेन. *Shrūti*.

The acts on which the position of man or his proclivity depends are recognised by writers on Hindu metaphysics as three सञ्चित, प्रारब्ध, क्रियमाण. Construe the second half तथापि सुधिया सुविचार्यैव कुर्वता भान्यम्. This idiomatic phrase deserves notice. भान्य is used impersonally in the sense of ' must be ' or ' should be ' and the noun or adjective (कुर्वता) coming after *be* must agree with the agent (सुधिया) like an ordinary adjective.

From the first half of the Stanza it may be argued that man is wholly at the mercy of acts done in past life but philosophers have propounded the theory that he can mould his course by his deeds in this life and thus be an " architect " of his future position. For this compare :—

उद्धरेदात्मनात्मानं नात्मानमवसादयेत् ॥ आत्मैव ह्यात्मनो बन्धुरात्मैव रिपुरात्मनः ॥

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पुरुषकारपूर्वकत्वात्सर्वप्रवृत्तीनामुपायः प्रत्ययः ॥ अवश्यंभाविनोऽप्यर्थस्योपायपूर्व-
कत्वादेव । न निष्कर्मणो भद्रमस्तीति वात्स्यायनः ॥ *Kāmasūtra*. Cha. II.

नालम्बते दैष्टिकतां न निषीदति पौरुषे॥ शब्दार्थौ सत्कविरिव द्वयं विद्वानपेक्षते ॥
Mágha. II. 86.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—The position of man depends on his past deeds, his proclivities too are in keeping with those deeds. However, a wise man should conduct himself with great circumspection.

XC.

Notes and Explanation—खल्वाटः=Bald-headed. अनात-
 पम्=Free from sun, hence shady. विधिवशात्=through the
 force or influence of fate. तालस्य—The Tála tree which is
 not a particularly shady tree gives force to the assertions.
 सशब्दम्—(*adv.*) With a loud noise. Construe तत्राप्यस्य शिरः
 पतता महाफलेन सशब्दं (यथा तथा) भग्नम्.

Alankára—विषादन and अर्थान्तरन्यास—इष्यमाणविरुद्धार्थ-
 संप्राप्तिस्तु विषादनम् *Kuwal.* This Alankára is the opposite of
 प्रहर्षण. See Stanza 84.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—A bald-headed man was scorched on his head by the rays of the sun and anxious to find a shady place went, under the influence of fate, to the foot of a palm tree; while there, a large fruit of the tree fell with a loud noise on his head and broke it: generally calamities follow the unfortunate man wherever he may happen to go.

XCI.

Notes and Explanation—ग्रह—ग्रहेण (राहुणा) पीडनम् see
 Stanza 34 and also *Mágha II. 49.* मतिमतां—प्रशस्ता मतिः येषां

ते मतिमन्तः. For the sense of मनुप् (मत्) see note in Stanza 33.
 घिलोक्य should be construed with every assertion in the
 Stanza, इति मे मतिः=I am of opinion that &c.

Alankāra—काव्यलिङ्ग. See Stanza 39.

Metre—द्रुतविलम्बित. See Stanza 52.

Translation—When I see the sun and the moon exposed
 to the assaults of the demon (Ráhu), when I behold the bonds
 of the elephant and the serpent, when I find the wise in poverty,
 then the thought strikes me—how powerful is fate !

XCII.

Notes and Explanation—सृजति—The nominative of this
 is विधिः to be supplied from the context. तावत्—This particle
 is used to emphasise the statement in the sense of 'indeed',
 'really'. Some commentators take it to mean आदौ in the first
 place. अशेषगुणाकरम्—अशेषाश्चते गुणाश्च, तेषां आकरं (खनि)=A
 mine of all merits, one endowed with all virtues. पुरुषरत्नम्=
 The jewel-man. रत्नं स्वजातिश्रेष्ठेऽपि मणावपि नपुंसकम् *Medint.* तद-
 पि०—(1) तत्=पुरुषरत्नं अपि, तत्क्षणभङ्गि=तत्क्षणनाशशीलं (अल्पायुः). (2)
 तदपि=तथापि (for this sense mark प्रायोऽन्नं तृप्तिहेतुस्तदपि निगदितं
 कारणं भोक्तृयत्नः *Vedānt-Kesari*) तत्क्षणभङ्गि=तत् (पुरुषरत्नं) क्षणभङ्गि
 transient, frail, perishable in a moment. (3) तदपि—one of
 the commentators take तत् to refer to the whole of the previous
 assertion to convey the sense that the Creator creates a jewel-
 like man is by itself a folly if he has to destroy him after a
 short time. This Stanza appears in the Vairāgya Shataka
 numbered 110. विधेः=of the Creator. विधाता विश्वसृज् विधिः *Amar.*

Metre—द्रुतविलम्बित. See Stanza 52.

Translation—The Creator first creates a jewel among men,

a very mine of all virtues, and an ornament of the world ; then in a moment breaks him down. Oh alas ! How unreasonable is the action of the Creator !

XCIII.

Notes and Explanation—यदा is here in the sense of यदि. Its correlative तर्हि should be supplied. करीरविटपे—On the branch of the Karíra plant. This is a thorny plant growing in deserts and eaten by sheep and camels. It is known in Sindh as Kirada. शाखायां पल्लवे स्तम्भे विस्तारे विटपोऽस्त्रियां Rabhasa. उलूकः = An owl. One of his names is दिवान्ध ' blind during day-time '. See *Mágha* I. 53. अपि—This particle seems to be redundant here. It has been construed with दिवा by Krishna Shástri. धारा नैव &c.—This idea will be clear by a reference to *misc* : Stanza 11. मेघस्य—मेहति सिञ्चति इति मेघः. ललाट०—It is a popular belief among the Hindus that the Creator marks on the forehead of a creature on the sixth day of his birth the future course of his life. See *Naishadha* I. 15, and I. 138.

Metre—शाईलचिक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—Is it the fault of spring that there should be no leaves on the Karíra-bush ? If the owl cannot see by day, is it the fault of the sun ? What fault is it of the cloud that the current of rain-water does not fall into the mouth of the Chátaka. Who can wipe off whatever is already written on the forehead by the Creator ?

XCIV.

Notes and Explanation—नमस्यामः=पूजयामः. The affix क्यच् (य) is added to नमस्, वरिवस् and चित्र in the sense of

'adoring, serving, and striking with wonder' respectively, where-
by the nominal verbs are formed. *See Pānini* III. i. 19.
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देवान्—The accusative is used here because it is governed by
the verb नमस्यामः, although नमस् alone would govern the dative
as in the last line. "Cases governed by indeclinables such as
नमः, स्वस्ति &c., are called Upapada-Vibhaktis as distinguished
from those governed by verbs which are called Kāraka-Vibhak-
tis. In cases where both are possible the latter predominate
over the former." उपपदविभक्तेः कारकविभक्तिर्बलीयसी. ननु=न+नु.
The combination of नु (which has an interrogative force in-
volving some 'doubt' or 'uncertainty') with न is treated as a
separate word and used in various senses. Here it is used as
a corrective word like *why* in English. हतविधेः=of wretched
or accursed fate. हत is often used as the first member of a
compound in the sense of 'wretched', 'accursed' &c. A simi-
lar word is दग्ध. *See Vairāgya Stanza 8.* Compare the Marathi
equivalents मेल and जळला for these words. प्रतिनियत०—प्रति-
नियतं च तत्कर्म च, तस्य एकं (केवलं) फलं ददातीति. प्रतिनियत settled;
fixed. We are for taking this word with कर्म and not with फल
as Mr. Telang seems to have done. फलं क०—*See note in*
Stanza 89. किम्—For the use of this word *see Stanza 21.*
येभ्यः प्रभवति—Words having the sense of अल्म् such as प्रभुः,
समर्थः, शक्तः &c., and also the word प्रभू are used with the da-
tive, *see Siddhānt Kaumudi on Pānini* II. iii. 16.

Metre—शिखरिणी. *See Stanza 8.*

Translation—We adore the gods, but are they not in the
power of accursed destiny? It is destiny then that must be
adored, but it only dispenses to individuals the fruit of the
settled deeds performed in their former state; the fruit of
those acts, however, depends upon the acts themselves. Why
then should we worship the gods or destiny? Let us pay our
respects to those acts over which even destiny has no control.

XCV.

Notes and Explanation—**कुला०**—Like a potter. *See note* on पुष्पवत् in Stanza 4. This refers to the work of Bramhá viz. that of creating things. **ब्रह्मा०**—ब्रह्माण्डं एव भाण्डं (a vessel, a goblet) तस्य उदरे (मध्ये). **दशाव०**—“ There are two ways of interpreting the expression (1) गहन being taken as meaning forest, and महासंकटे as a Bahuvrihi meaning ‘ full of great difficulties ;’ (2) गहन being taken as an adjective meaning troublesome and महासंकटे in the great difficulty ” *Telang*. The account of the incarnations of Vishnu is well-known. **कपाल०**—कपालयुक्तः पाणिपुटकः क०-पा०-पुटकः, तस्मिन् (Madhyampadalopi compound). The locative goes with भिक्षा and therefore it is एकदेशी अन्वय for which *see note* in Stanza 26. **भिक्षाटनम्**—येन रुद्रः भिक्षाटनं कारितः is a passive construction. In forming the passive construction of causal verbs, the principal object in the causal which is the subject (agent) of the verb in its primitive sense is put in the nominative case and the other object remains unchanged. प्रयोज्यकर्मण्यन्येषां ण्यन्तानां लदयो मताः *Sid. Kau.* on *Pānini* VII. I. 69. For the story of Rudra’s begging with the skull in his hand, *see Skanda Purāna*. **सूर्यो भ्राम्यति**—Hindu astronomers have generally the theory of the sun going round the earth which is not in keeping with western investigations. *See Siddhānt Shiromani*.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. *See Stanza 6*.

Translation—Adoration to action by which Bramhá has been constrained to work like a potter in the hollow of this universe, Vishnu thrown into the great difficulty of the troublesome ten incarnations, Rudra forced to wander a-begging with the skull in his joined hands and the sun compelled to constantly travel in the heavens.

XCVI.

Notes and Explanation—आकृतिः=Handsome form, noble appearance. Cf. नद्याकृतिः सुसदृशं विजहाति वृत्तम् *Mrichhak*.
 भाग्यानि—Good deeds, merits. शील—Good disposition, character. पूर्व०—By observance of religious duties in former state. पुरुषस्य goes with भाग्यानि. यथैव—The एव added to यथा lends a greater force to the comparison. Cf. वितरति गुरुः प्राहे विष्णुं यथैव तथा जडे *Uttar Rām*.

Alankāra—उपमा, क्रियादीपक, स्तुति.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—Neither handsome form, nor noble birth, nor character, nor learning, nor even service assiduously performed, but only the merits of men gained by the observance of religious duties in former state bring forth fruit as a tree does in its season.

XCVII.

Notes and Explanation—शत्रु०—शत्रवश्च जलं च अग्निश्च, तेषां मध्ये. प्रमत्तं—Intoxicated, mad. महा०—We do not see any propriety of जल in the first line when we have the महार्णवे in the second. The Rev : Mr. Wortham appears to have taken शत्रुजनाग्निसन्ध्ये which avoids the difficulty. विषम०—In a dangerous or difficult position. See *Misc* : Stanza 19.

Alankāra—क्रियादीपक. *Metre*—उपेन्द्रवज्रा.

Translation—Meritorious deeds performed in a former state save a man everywhere whether he be in a forest, in the battle-field or among enemies, in water or in fire. They save him even if he be in the ocean or on the top of a mountain or whether he be asleep, intoxicated or in a difficult position.

XCVIII.

Notes and Explanation—The syntactical arrangement of the Stanza is defective. This defect is known as अविमृष्टविधेयां-
 शत्व. Construe the Stanza या (सक्तिया) खलान् साधून् करोति,
 मूर्खान् विदुषः करोति &c. Some read चक्रिकाम् or वक्रिकाम् instead of
 सक्तियां when the construction would remain unchanged but
 looking to the exposition of principles throughout the poem
 we cannot accept the readings suggested. हितान्=Well-wishers.
 See Kirdt I. 5. प्रत्यक्षं=अक्षः अभिमुखं प्रत्यक्षं Avyayibháva com-
 pound. In forming an Avayayibháva compound the termina-
 tion अम् should be added to अक्षि when preceded by प्रति, पर
 changed to परो, सम् and अनु, the इ of अक्षि being dropped under
 the Gana Sutra प्रतिपरसमनुभ्योऽक्षः. Mark that the word अक्षि in
 compound and other Vrittis means an organ of sense in gene-
 ral and not the eye only. वृत्तिविषये अक्षिशब्दः इन्द्रियमात्रपरः Ma-
 noramā. परोक्षम्—See note on प्रत्यक्षम्. हालाहलं—Deadly
 poison, one of the fourteen articles gained from the ocean. See
 Stanza 80. सक्तियां=Good conduct. See Shákuntala शकुन्तला
 मूर्तिमती च सक्तिया. भगवती=ऐश्वर्यवती Glorious, divine. व्यसनैः=By
 constant applications. See Stanza 62. गुणेषु विपुलेषु refers to
 the virtues enumerated above. आस्थां = Endeavour. आस्थानी
 यन्नयोरास्था Amar. मा कृथाः—See note in Stanza 77.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—Oh good man! If you wish to gain your
 desired objects, do not exert yourself in vain with constant ap-
 plication for the aquisition of various qualifications but culti-
 vate glorious good conduct which makes evil men good, the
 fools wise, enemies well-disposed, invisible things visible and
 which turns poison into nectar in a moment.

IC.

Notes and Explanation—गुणवत्—गुणाः विद्यन्ते अस्मिन् इति. परिणतिः = Result. अतिरम०—रभसः=Rashness, headlong haste. आवि०—Up to the time of death. Cf. हिमसेकविपत्तिरत्रमे नलिनी पूर्वनिदर्शनं मता Raghu VIII. 45. हृदयदाही—हृदयं दहति तच्छीलः. शल्य०—शल्य=A splinter, a thorn, any extraneous substance lodged in the body and giving it very great pain; see Stanza 56. विपाकः = Result. Cf. अहो मे दारुणतरः कर्मणां विपाकः Kādam.

Alankāra—काव्यलिङ्ग. *Metre*—मालिनी.

Translation—A wise man before undertaking any good or bad action must carefully look to its consequence, for the result of actions performed with excessive rashness, tortures the heart till the end of life like a foreign substance in the body.

C.

Notes and Explanation—वैदूर्यमय्यां—Mr. Telang has वैदूर्य which is not correct. Pāninī has a special Sutra विदूराञ्ज्यः IV. iii. 84. on which Kaumudi runs “विदूरात्प्रभवति वैदूर्यो मणिः.” वैदूर्यप्रचुरा वैदूर्यमयी. तिलखर्ली—The lees of sesame, the refuse of sesame after the oil has been extracted. चन्द०—चन्दनानि आद्यानि येषु तैः लाङ्गलाग्नैः=By ploughshares. अर्कमूलस्य हेतोः = For the sake of the root of the Arka plant. अर्क=The *Calatropis Gigantea*; the swallow-wort. A plant known in Marāthi by the name of रुई and आखडो in Gujarāthi. The idiomatic use of the genitive with the word हेतु is note-worthy. When the word हेतु is used in a sentence, that which is the cause and the word हेतु are put in the genitive case षष्ठी हेतुप्रयोगे Pāninī II. iii. 26. कर्पूरखण्डान्=

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Collections of the camphor plants. अञ्जादिकदम्बे खण्डमस्त्रियाम् Amar. घृति=A hedge. कोद्र०—कोद्रव=A very coarse kind of grain. Guj.

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कोश. Maráthi हरिक. कर्मभूमि—This world which is specially 'the place of action or as Butler calls it a world for man's probation' as opposed to Swarga which is the place of enjoyment and called उपभोगभूमि. See Muir V. 325. कर्मभूमिरियं ब्रह्मन्फलभूमिरसौ मता.

Alankāra—मालानिदर्शना. See Stanza 6. *Metre*—अगधरा.

Translation—That unfortunate man, who having come into this world of action does not walk piously, is like one who cooks the lees of sesame over fire from fuel consisting largely of sandal-wood in a pan of lapis-lazuli, is like one who turns the soil with a golden share to get the root of the swallow-wort or is like one who cuts down a grove of camphor-trees to fence in a field of the Kodrava.

CI.

Notes and Explanation—मेरुशिखरं—See note in Stanza 49.

आहवे = In battle. वाणिज्यं = वणिजः कर्म trade. विद्याः—The usual number of these according to Hindu notions is fourteen. भङ्गानि वेदाश्चत्वारो मीमांसा न्यायविस्तरः॥ पुराणं धर्मशास्त्रं च विद्या ऐताश्चतुर्दश॥ *Manu.* कलाः—These are recognised to be sixty-four. They are गीतं, वाद्यं, नृत्यं, आलेख्यं, विशेषकच्छेद्यं, तण्डुलकुसुमवलि विकाराः, पुष्पास्तरणं, दशनवसनाङ्गरागः, मणिभूमिकाकर्म, शयनरचनं, उदकवाद्यं, उदकाघातः, चित्राश्च योगाः, माल्यप्रथनविकल्पाः, शेखरकापीडयोजनं, नेपथ्यप्रयोगाः, कर्णपत्रभङ्गाः, गन्धयुक्तिः, भूषणयोजनं, ऐन्द्रजालाः, कौतुमाराश्च योगाः, हस्तलाषवं, विचित्र-शाकयूषभक्ष्यविकारक्रिया, पानकरसरागासवयोजनं, सूचीवानकर्मणि, सूत्रक्रीडा, बीणाढमरुकवाद्यानि, प्रहेलिका, प्रतिमाला, दुर्वाचकयोगाः, पुस्तकवाचनं, नाटकाख्यायिकादर्शनं, काव्यसमस्यापूरणं, पट्टिकावेत्रवानविकल्पाः, तक्षकर्मणि, तक्षणं, वास्तुविद्या, रूप्यरत्नपरीक्षा, धातुवादः, मणिरागाकरज्ञानं, वृक्षायुर्वेदयोगाः, मेष-कुट्टलावकयुद्धविधिः, शुकसारिकाप्रलापनं, उत्सादने संवाहने केशमर्दने च कौशलं, अक्षरमुष्टिकाकथनं, म्लेच्छितविकल्पाः, देशभाषाविज्ञानं, पुष्पशकटिका, निमित्त-

ज्ञानं, यन्त्रमातृका, धारणमातृका, संपाठ्यं, मानसी, काव्यक्रिया, अभिधानकोषः
 छन्दोज्ञानं, क्रियाकल्पः, छलितकयोगाः, वस्त्रगोपनानि, द्यूतविशेषाः, आकर्षकीडा,
 बाल्कीडनकानि, वैजयिकीनां, वैजयिकीनां व्यायामिकीनां च विद्यानां ज्ञानं, इति
 चतुःषष्टिरङ्गविद्याः *Vdt. Kam. Sut.* शिक्षताम्—The root शिक्ष् is *Atm.*
 therefore the reading शिक्षतु is incorrect. खगवत्—See note on
 पुष्पवत् Stanza 4. पुरं—This is a P. D. The correct word is
 परं, the उ having been transposed to this word from line 369
 where परं has been printed instead of पुरं. परं means 'ex-
 cessive.' भाग्यवशतः should be construed with भाव्यस्य. See
 note on विधिवशत् Stanza 90. Cf. यदभावि न तद्भावि भावि चेन्न तद-
 न्यथा. *Bhag. Gītā.*

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—One may dive into the waters, he may
 ascend to the top of mount Meru, he may overcome enemies
 in a battle, he may devote himself to trade, agriculture or ser-
 vice &c.; he may study all branches of learning and the arts, or
 he may voyage with great effort through the extensive aerial
 regions, but that which is not to happen in this world never
 happens; how can that, which is destined to befall one under
 the influence of fate, be averted ?

CII.

Notes and Explanation—परं—This is a misprint, it
 ought to be पुरं, see note in Stanza 101. कृत्स्ना=Whole. सन्नि०—
 निधयश्च रत्नानि च बिधिरत्नानि, सन्ति च तानि निधिरत्नानि च सन्निधिरत्नानि, तैः
 पूर्णा=(1) Full of excellent treasures and excellent jewels. (2)
 सन् निधिर्येषां तैः रत्नैः परिपूर्णा=Full of jewels in excellent collec-
 tions. (3) सत् has been taken only with निधि by Krishna
 Shāstri while Rāmarshi takes (4) संनिधौ समीपे रत्नैरुत्कृष्टवस्तुभिः
 गदाश्वान्नवस्त्रादिभिर्मणिभिर्वा पूर्णा.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका. See Stanza 2.

Translation—A terrible wood becomes a splendid city, all people begin to be good, the whole world becomes full of excellent treasures and jewels to that man who has performed plenty of righteous acts in his former existence.

CIII.

Notes and Explanation—प्राज्ञे०—प्रज्ञाः एव प्राज्ञाः. Both the forms प्रज्ञ and प्राज्ञ have the same meaning under the Sutra प्राज्ञादिभ्यश्च *Pāṇini* V. iv. 38. Cf. St. 14 *supra*. प्राज्ञेभ्यः इतरे, तैः= 2106

With those other than the wise i. e. fools. सम०—(समय= (1) Right moment. (2) An engagement)=(1) समयस्य च्युतिः Slipping of the right moment. (2) समयात् च्युतिः Breaking of an engagement. कः शूरः—Cf. कः शूरो यो ललनालोचनबाणैर्न च व्यथितः *Shankarāchārya*, also St. 107 *infra*. अनुव्रता—अनुकूलं व्रतं (नियमः) यस्याः सा. किं धनं—See Stanza 16, 20, and 21. आज्ञाफलम्—The fruit of which is the capacity to command, to enforce obedience. Cf. St. 48.

Alankāra—परिसंख्या. See Stanza 71.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—What is gain? Company of the virtuous. What is trouble? Company of fools. What is loss? Letting slip an opportunity. What is vigilance? Devoted application to the principle of righteousness. Who is valiant? He who has subdued his passions. Who is the best beloved? The faithful wife. What is wealth? Learning. What is happiness? Not going out on travels. What is royalty? The power to command.

CIV.

Notes and Explanation—See Stanza 33. ह—An emphatic particle used to lay stress on the preceding word and translatable by 'verily,' 'indeed' &c., but it is often used expletively without any particular signification especially in Vedic literature. गती ह—This cannot be taken as गती इह for, that is ungrammatical, गती being the dual form it cannot be joined with the vowel of the next word, see *Pānini* I. i. 11 and VI. i. 125 .
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Alankāra—उपमा. *Metre*—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—The position of the high-minded is two-fold as in the case of the Mālati flower, either to be on the head of the people or to wither away in a forest.

CV.

Notes and Explanation—अप्रि० - अप्रियवचनैः दरिद्राः=Poor in disagreeable language, wanting in harsh language i. e. not given to use harsh language. प्रिय०—प्रियवचनैः आढ्याः (संपन्नाः)=Rich in agreeable language i. e. given to using agreeable language. स्वदा०—दार=Wife. A masculine word always used in the plural. दाराक्षतलाजासूनां बहुत्वंच *Lingānushāsana*. दाराः पुंभूमि चाक्षताः *Amar*. परपरि०—Averse to speaking ill of others. The word परिवाद may be also परीवाद according to Sutra उपसर्गस्य घञ्यमनुष्ये बहुलम् *Pānini* VI. iii. 122 .
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Metre—आर्या. See Stanza 3.

Translation—This world is sparsely adorned by persons who are not given to the use of harsh language but are full of agreeable speech, are happy with their own wives and are averse to speaking ill of others.

CVI.

Notes and Explanation—**कदर्थि०**—Despised, slighted, distressed. **धैर्य०**—धैर्येण वृत्तिः (वर्तनं) यस्य. **धैर्यगुणः**—धैर्यमेव-गुणः. **प्रमार्ष्टुम्**=To obliterate. For the use of the Infinitive, see note in Stanza 6. **तनूनपातः**=Of the fire. **कृपीटयोनिर्ज्वलनो जात-वेदास्तनूनपात्** Amar. Mr. Telang's reading **अधोमुखस्यापि कृतस्य बन्हेः** is not grammatically satisfactory. **शिखा**=Flame.

Alankāra—**दृष्टान्त**. See Stanza 15. There is दृष्टान्त in this Stanza in consequence of the reflective representation of धैर्यवृत्ति पुरुष and तनूनपात्, कदर्थित्व and अधोमुखत्व, as well as शिखा and धैर्यगुण.

Metre—**उपजाति**. See Stanza 12.

Translation—It is not possible to obliterate the virtue of of constancy of a firm-minded man however distressed he may be; never does the flame turn downwards even if the torch were held pointing towards the ground.

CVII.

Notes and Explanation—**कान्ताक०**—कान्तायाः कटाक्षाः, ते एव विशिखाः (बाणाः). **लुनन्ति**—The root लृ 'to cut' or 'to wound' is more appropriate for arrows than खन् 'to dig'. Hence the reading adopted in the text. **यस्य चित्तं** is to be construed with लुनन्ति, निर्दहति and कर्षन्ति. **भूरि**—(*adj.*)=Numerous.

Metre—**वसन्ततिलका**. See Stanza 2.

Translation—That firm man, whose mind is neither pierced by the arrows shot from the glances of women, nor consumed by the fire of anger, nor ensnared in the net of covetousness by numerous mundane objects, predominates everywhere in the three worlds.

CVIII.

Notes and Explanation—पादाक्रान्तं—As applied to the hero पादाभ्यां आक्रान्तं and as applied to the sun पादैः (किरणैः) आक्रान्तं. स्फार०—स्फार=Plenty, abundant. स्फुरित=Glittering, dazzling. स्फुरितं च तत्तेजश्च स्फुरिततेजः, स्फारं स्फुरिततेजः यस्य तेन. As applied to the hero तेजस्=Valour. There does not seem to be any necessity of finding out an allusion to the Vámana incarnation of Vishnu in this verse as Mr. Telang seems to do.

Alankára—उपमा and श्लेष. Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—The whole world is brought under full control by one single brave individual just like the sun who sheds abundance of refulgent light.

CIX.

Notes and Explanation—जलायते—जलमिव आचरति. The verbs जलायते, कुल्यायते, स्वल्पशिलायते &c., are formed from the nouns जल, कुल्या, स्वल्पशिला &c., according to the Sutra कर्तुः क्यङ् सलोपश्च *Pānini* III. i. 11 . The nominal verbs so derived are

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conjugated in the Atmanepada. कुल्या = A stream, a canal. भृगपतिः = The lord of beasts, the lion. व्याल = A serpent. See note in Stanza 6. माल्यगुण=Flower-wreath, garland. विष-रसः = Poisonous fluid. पीयूषवर्ष=A shower of nectar. अस्मि०—षष्ठमतमं=Extremely agreeable. शीलं—See Stanza 39.

Alankára—उपमा. Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—In a moment fire becomes as cool as water, the mighty ocean no more than a rivulet, the mount Meru only a small stone, the lion becomes as harmless as an antelope, the serpent a mere garland of flowers, a poisonous fluid but nectar for one who leads a virtuous life which becomes extremely agreeable to the whole world.

Notes and Explanation—The adjectives लज्जागुणौघजननी, अत्यन्तशुद्धहृदयां and अनुवर्तमानां apply both to जननी and प्रतिज्ञा. लज्जागु०—लज्जा च गुणौघश्च तयोः जननीं (उत्पादयित्री) = In the case of जननी it means 'one who infuses sense of shame and various other qualities'. In the case of प्रतिज्ञा the phrase means 'the instigator of the sense of shame and other qualities.' अत्यन्त-शु०—अत्यन्तं शुद्धं हृदयं यस्याः or यस्यां वा. (1) one having an extremely pure heart, (2) that in which the motives are extremely pure. अनुवर्तमानां=(1) wholly devoted. (2) always binding. तेजस्विनः = Those having mettle in them; the spirited. सुखम्=(*adv.*) Readily, without any ado. The word can be taken as a *noun*, when the phrase would mean 'abandon comforts and even life itself. सत्यव्रत०—सत्यमेव व्रतं, तस्मिन् व्यसनं अस्ति एषां ते=Those devoted to the resolution of being true. For व्यसन, see Stanzas 62 and 98. There does not seem any necessity of adding इन् to व्यसन since सत्यव्रतव्यसनाः as a Bahuvrihi conveys the desired sense. See note on विगन्धि in Stanza 9. न पुनः=But not, rather than. प्रतिज्ञा=Promise, declaration.

Some Mss. read लज्जा in the first line and अनुवर्तमानाः in the second, in which case लज्जा is to be construed as the object of अनुवर्तमानाः, when all the adjectives are to be applied to लज्जा and जननी, and अनुवर्तमानाः (acting under influence of) to be taken with तेजस्विनः.

Alankāra—उपमा. *Metre*—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—Spirited men, who are devoted to the resolution of being truthful, readily give up even their life rather than swerve from their word which to them is like their own mother who instils the sense of shame and various other qualities [in their minds], is perfectly pure-hearted, and wholly devoted to them.

MISCELLANEOUS.

STANZA I.

Notes and Explanation—ययैव— See Stanza 96. यत्—

This pronoun appears superfluous here. भाव=Feelings, inclinations of the mind. भावोऽभिप्राय आशयः *Yúdava*. पर्व०—सूक्ष्ममार्ग=a narrow mountain path, defile; पर्वतस्य सूक्ष्ममार्ग इव विषमः (अगम्यः). स्त्रीणां goes with हृदयं, भावः, and चित्तं. पुष्क०—पुष्करस्य पत्रे यतोयं तदिष तरलं=As unsteady as the water on a lotus-leaf. आशंसितं is here used for शंसितं=mentioned. नाम—Mr. Telang takes this word as an idiomatic expletive equivalent to 'verily'. Can it not here be taken in its most general sense of 'named', 'known as', 'by name.' नाम प्राकाश्यकुत्सयोः ॥ संभान्याभ्युपगमयोरलीके विस्मये कुधि ॥ *Hema*. दोषैः समं—See note on सह Stanza 76.

Alankára—उपमा. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—The heart [of the woman] is as impossible to be caught as the image of the face in a mirror, her feelings can not be ascertained since they are as difficult as the narrow defile of a mountain, her mind is said by the wise to be as fickle as the water on a lotus-leaf. She grows with her blemishes like a creeper with poisonous sprouts and is known as *Nári* (woman).

It is a kind of Brahmodya

II.

Notes and Explanation—अभि०—अभिमुखं निहतः=Wounded in the front. Cf. न निवर्तेत संग्रामात्क्षात्रं धर्ममनुस्मरन् ॥ *Manu* VII. 87.

आहवेषु मियोन्योऽन्यं जिघांसन्तो महीक्षितः ॥

युध्यमानाः परं शक्त्या स्वर्गं यान्त्यपराद्मुखाः ॥ *Ibid.* 89.

Also see *Bhag. Gītā*, II. 38. वत—An indeclinable expressing satisfaction. सेदानुकम्पासंतोषविस्मयामन्त्रणे वत *Amar.* अत्यर्थम्= Exceedingly. अतिबेलभृशात्यर्थातिमात्रोद्वाढनिर्भरम् *Amar.*

Metre—आर्या. See Stanza 3.

Translation—Let alone the fact that a man killed in the front-ranks in a battle obtains victory or heaven; he certainly must obtain the eulogy of both sides which is exceedingly pleasing to the ear.

III

Notes and Explanation—इय०—इयत्=So much, of this extent as indicated by a demonstration from the speaker. Cf. इमाविद्यन्तौ पुनरैषमस्ते ॥ पुनः कियन्तौ परतो भवेताम् *Kāvya*. वा—Mr. Telang finds this particle inexplicable. We would suggest its being taken in the usual sense of 'or' with इयत् expressing a wider extent *viz.* the whole universe and एतत् a restricted one *i. e.* perhaps only this world. निर०—चमत्कृतीनां अतिशयः च०—त्यतिशयः, निरवधिश्चासौ च०—त्यतिशयश्च, तस्मिन् = In the unlimited extent of wonders. प्रमथति is used here in the sense of प्रकर्षेण भवति. यत्=Because. दन्तसलिलैः—This is not quite clear. दन्तमुकुलैः may make a good sense and we have translated the Stanza accordingly though we must not omit to mention that such a reading is not found in any of the Mss. Cf. वसति दशनशिखरे धरणी तव लग्ना । शशिनि कलङ्कलेष निमग्ना ॥ केशव धृतशूकररूप जयजगदीश हरे *Gīt. Go.* I. 8. Mr. Telang translates दन्तसलिलैः 'by the waters in the jaw.' "शत्रुं-परः would be a better reading" without making any change in the sense, since पर or अन्य is generally used with एक in the sense of 'the one-the other' with reference to two objects that are before specified. निगिलति—*Pre* : 3rd *per* : *Sing* : from गृ to swallow, to devour, the १ being

optionally changed to **ल्** before the vowel terminations by the Sutra **अन्वि विभाषा Pānini VIII. ii. 21** .
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The third line alludes to the Varāha incarnation of Vishnu who went down into the waters and raised up the earth. See Raghu XIII. 8. For Rāhu see Stanza 34.

Alankāra—**काव्यलिङ्ग** and **यथासंख्य**. *Metre*—**शिखरिणी**.

Translation—In such an unlimited extent of wonders [of the universe] or even in that [of this world] the Varāha as well as the Rāhu chiefly become the objects of admiration; since the one bore the earth which was immersed [in the ocean] on the points of his jaw and the other, although remaining only with his head, swallows his enemy and again lets him off.

IV.

Notes and Explanation—**उद०**—**उदन्वत्**=The ocean. **उदन्वानुदधिः सिन्धुः Amar.** The word **उदक्**+the affix **मनुप् (वत्)** irregularly forms **उदन्वत्** 'the ocean' or 'the Rishi of that name'; regularly it is **उदक्वत्** 'containing water'. **उदन्वता छन्ना उदक्छन्ना lit.** covered but here 'engirt or bounded by the ocean, see Vairāgya Stanza 26. **योजनशतं**=(*accu. of place.*) Extending over a hundred Yojanās. See *Pānini II. iii. 5* . **गगन०**—**कलयति**=

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Takes the measure of the sky. **भावाः**=Objects, things. **स्फुर०**—**स्फुरंश्चासौ अवधिश्च, तस्य मुद्रा, तया मुकुलिताः**=“contracted within distinct boundary marks *i. e.* the bounds are clearly visible”, limited by well-defined boundary marks. **प्रज्ञो०**=Brilliancy of the intellect. **असीमा**=Boundless, unlimited. **विजयते**—**जि** preceded by **वि** or **परा** is Atmanepadi. **विपराभ्यां जेः Pānini I. iii. 19.**
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Alankāra—**व्यतिरेक**—**उपमानाद्यदन्यस्य व्यतिरेकः स एव सः K. Prakāsh.** The mention of the superiority of **प्रज्ञोन्मेष** over

the Upamánás viz: मू, समुद्र &c., in this Stanza, forms Vyatirekálankára.

Metre—शिक्षरिणी. See Stanza 8.

Translation—The earth is bounded by the ocean, that expanse of waters again is but a hundred Yojanás, the sun always takes the measure of the sky by his course: thus are objects generally limited within distinct boundary marks, but it is the brilliancy of the intellect of the wise that is unlimited.

V.

Notes and Explanation—वा—An alternative conjunction. The first half of each of the four lines of the Stanza refers to one engrossed with worldly concerns, while the other half to him who is for renouncing mundane matters.

Alankára—विकल्प. विरोधे तुल्यबलयोर्विकल्पालंकृतिर्मता Kuwal. The two opposed alternatives of equal force viz: केशव and शिव, भूपति and यति &c., have been put forth in the Stanza and they cannot both be resorted to at one and the same time, hence there is Vikalpa.

Metre—शालिनी—शालिन्युक्ता म्त्तौ तगौ गोऽन्धिलोकेः. The pause is after the 4th syllable.

Translation—[Choose] but one divinity—either Keshawa or Shiwa, one friend—either a king or an ascetic, one place of residence—be it a mansion or a forest, one companion in life—a handsome woman or a mountain valley.

VI.

Notes and Explanation—कमठकुला०—कमठ=The tortoise. See Stanza 7 *infra* and Vairágya. misc: 18. कुलावल are seven mountains supposed to exist in each division of the continent.

Their names are:—महेन्द्रो मलयः सद्यः क्षुणिमागृध्वर्षतः ॥ विन्धवश्च पारि-
यात्रश्च सप्तैते कुलपर्वताः. See Stanza 20 *infra*. दिग्गजः=The eight ele-
phants supposed to preside over the eight cardinal points. They
are:— ऐरावतः पुन्दरीको वामनः कुमुदोज्जनः ॥ पुष्पदन्तः सार्वभौमः सुप्रतीकश्च
दिग्गजाः *Amar*. फणिपतिः=The lord of the serpents; Shesha.
See Stanza 35 *supra*, *Vairāgya misc*: 26. The Kamatha, Kulā-
chala &c., are well-known supporters of the earth:—

कूर्मः पातालगङ्गापयसि विहरतां तत्तटीरुदमुस्तामादत्तामादिपोत्री शिथि-
लयतु फणामण्डलं कुण्डलीन्द्रः ॥ दिङ्मातङ्गा मृणालीकवलनकलनां कुर्वतां
पर्वतेन्द्राः सर्वे स्वैरं चरन्तु त्वयि बहति विमो भोज देवी धरित्रीम् ॥

Bhoja-Prabandhā.

प्रतिपन्नं = Accepted, undertaken. फलति seems to be in-
correct, there must be चलति or some word of that import. For
the general idea, see the next Stanza.

Alankāra—व्यतिरेक. See Stanza 4. *Supra*. *Metre—आर्या*.

Translation—The earth though supported by the tortoise
Kamatha, the Kulāchala mountains, the Dikgaja elephants
and the serpent Shesha, shakes; but whatever is undertaken
by the pure-minded remains unchanged even at the end of a
Yuga.

VII.

Notes and Explanation—Mr. Telang has न मनसा instead
of स्वमनसा and takes the third line as a question like the previ-
ous two; but the questions in the first two lines refer to specific
objects, while that in the third one is more of a general nature
and also put in a manner different from that of the previous
ones, which tends to mar the beauty of the *Alankāra*. निर्वाहः=
Carrying to the end; perseverance. गोत्रव्रतं=कुलधर्मः. Cf. विश्वे
ऽस्मिन्प्रधान्यः कुलव्रतं पालयिष्यति कः *Bhāmi*. Construe the last line

एतदि सतां गोत्रव्रतं, (यत्) प्रतिपन्नवस्तुषु निर्वाहः. This Stanza occurs in the *Mudrá-Rákshasa*.

Alankára—अर्थान्तरन्यास. *Metre*—शार्ङ्गलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Is it that the Tortoise is not pained by the heaviness of the load of the earth on his body because he does not throw it off; or that the sun does not sit down unmoved, is it because he is not fatigued? Not so. But a praise-worthy man is ashamed within himself to throw up whatever he has undertaken: it is the inherent trait of the good to adhere to the last to things once taken up.

VIII.

Notes and Explanation—कः वशं न याति—(An idiomatic phrase)=Who does not become subject to? पिण्ड = A bolus. See Stanza 31. "The last line alludes to the flour applied to a *Mridanga* before it is played upon."

Alankára—अर्थान्तरन्यास. *Metre*—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—What man in this world is not won over by him who may have filled his mouth with a bolus of food. A drum sounds sweet when it is annointed with flour.

IX.

Notes and Explanation—स्वभरणध्या०—व्यापार एव व्यापार-मात्रं, स्वभरणस्य व्या०—मात्रं, तस्मिन् उद्यताः स्व०—द्यताः. अग्रणीः= Foremost, leader. अग्रणीर्नायको नेता *Amar*. Construe the second line यस्य परार्थ एव स्वार्थः स एकः पुमान् सतां अग्रणीः. Mr. Telang has परमो नैकः instead of सपुमानेकः and has explained it "there is not even one leader of the good &c." which however is not in keeping with the statement in the fourth line; besides, the

reading adopted by us makes a better sense. दुष्पू०—दुःखेन पू-
र्यते तदुष्पूरं (see note on असुकरं St. 28). दुष्पूरं च तदुदरं च, तस्य पूरणं,
तस्मै. The reading दुःपूर is not correct. See note on निष्केश St. 25.
घाटवः—See Stanza 76. जीमूतः=A cloud. घनजीमूतमुदिरजल्मुग्ध-
मयेनयः Amar. तु = On the other hand, however. निदा०—
निदाघ=Summer, hot season. निदाघ उष्णोपगमः Amar. विच्छित्ति=De-
struction. See Vairāgya Stanza 11. निदाघेन संभृतः जगत्संतापः, तस्य
विच्छित्तिः, तस्यै.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

Translation—Thousands of mean fellows there are who
are only busy in filling their own bellies. He only is the leader
of the good who counts the interest of others alone as his own
interest. The submarine fire consumes the waters of the ocean
to fill his belly which is difficult of being satiated, while the
cloud destroys the accumulated heat of the summer which tor-
tures the whole world.

X.

Notes and Explanation—A double meaning runs through
the whole Stanza—one, applied to a minister and the other, to a
poet. दूरा०—दूरात् नवं अर्थं घटयति= (1) secures new revenue
from afar. (2) brings about a new meaning from afar.
अपशब्दं=(1) offensive language. (2) incorrect word, mis-
take. सत्समा०— The meaning of this expression can be taken
to be the same in both the cases. मन्दं मन्दं = Gradually, slowly.
This being an expression denoting quality, the repetition must
be according to the Sutra प्रकारे गुणवचनस्य; in that case, however,
the regular grammatical form would have been मन्दमन्दं but as
it is, there is no other course except to reconcile it under the
Sutra नित्यबीप्सयोः, see note in Stanza 8; Megha: Stanza 9 and

Malli: Com. thereon. पदं=(1) step. (2) word. कामं=Indeed, truly. खेदभारैरमुक्तः=not free from the burden of troubles.

Alankāra—उपमा. Metre—मन्दाक्रान्ता.

*Translation—*A minister, who brings together new income from afar, altogether avoids all offensive expressions and devotes himself to task of pleasing the good, and gradually takes every forward move in consonance with the feelings of the people, is thus never free from the burden of troubles like a poet who brings about new meanings [in his expressions] from afar, avoids incorrect words, strives to please the learned and slowly compiles poems which would be attractive to the people.

XI.

*Notes and Explanation—प्रमा०—*न प्रमाणं अप्रमाणं, अप्रमाणं प्रमाणत्वेन संपन्नं कृतं=Alloted as the share; "settled as one's measure i. e. as one's proportion or share." उपनमेत्=Will fall to the lot of. मनाक्=A little. Construe महान् आश्रयः मनागपि कारणं नैव. Some take it तद् मनागपि उपनमेत्, महानाश्रयः कारणं नैव. सर्वाशा०—आशा=Quarters, directions; also hopes. वर्षति—This with its subject forms *loc: absolute*. The root वृष्, though transitive, is here used intransitively, its object जल being a well-known one.

घातोरयान्तरे वृत्तेर्धात्वर्थेनोपसंप्रदात् ॥

प्रसिद्धेरविवक्षातः कर्मणोऽकर्मिका क्रिया ॥ *Sid: Kau.*

द्वित्राः—द्वौ वा त्रयो वा द्वित्राः. See note on पञ्चषाः, Stanza 34. For the idea of the latter half of the Stanza, see Stanzas 50, 51 & 93.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. See Stanza 6.

*Translation—*Whatever in this world is settled as one's share by all-powerful destiny, shall go to him; any support, howsoever great, is of no avail in the least. Daily do the clouds which fill the whole sky shower down, but no more than two or three tiny drops of water fall in the mouth of the Chátaka.

XII.

Notes and Explanation—परि०=(सेव्याः) Should be attended upon, should be respected. The second quarter of the Stanza

is metrically faulty and no reading has been found in any Ms. to correct it. Mr. Telang says that नो would suit the metre. We do not see how. सद्नु०—We do not see the propriety of सद्नु here. स्वैरकथाः=" Ordinary random conversations." शास्त्राणि= Rules, regulations.

Alankāra—काव्यलिङ्ग. *Metre*—आर्या.

Translation—The good are to be respected though they should give no advice ; [for] even their ordinary random conversations become rules [for conduct].

XIII.

Notes and Explanation—कन्दु०—पतति—The regular idiomatic phrase ought to have been कन्दुकपातं पतति like the phrases पार्थसंचारं चरति, अजकनाशं नष्टः. It is not possible to explain the phrase in the text unless तुल्यं is supplied. We have taken the reading पतति instead of उत्पतति, because there can be no semblance between पात and उत्पतन. The construction of the second half of the Stanza is equally unsatisfactory as the first, though the meaning and sentiment are very good. Comp. St. 85.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्. See Stanza 1.

Translation—A good man may fall but generally he falls as a ball : when, however, an ignoble man falls he falls like a lump of clay.

XIV.

Notes and Explanation—यदि-तत्=If-then. नाम=Possibly. अवक०—Mass of filth, dung-hill. विकिरति=Scratches. कृकवाकुः=A cock. हंसः—See note on सिंहः Stanza 38.

Alankāra—अप्रस्तुतप्रशंसा. See Stanza 29. *Metre*—आर्या.

Translation—If by the decree of fate the world were ever to become deprived of lotuses, would the swan scratch the dung-hill like the cock ?

XV.

Notes and Explanation—यत्—(neu : sing ;) This rela-

tive pronoun stands for the whole sentence in each of the three lines and has its correlative तत् in the fourth line. मद०—मदवारिणा भिन्नौ करटौ येषां ते=Whose temples have burst through rut. In the reading मदभिन्नगण्डकरट, गण्ड and करट are almost synonymous words and therefore they do not make any good meaning. द्वारे—goes with तिष्ठन्ति as well as वल्गन्ति. हेम०—हेमनः विभूषणानि येषां ते. वल्गन्ति=Prance. दर्पिताः=High-spirited. वीणा &c., are various musical instruments. सुरलो०—सुरलोके ये देवाः तेषां सदृशं (अनुरूपं) or सुरलोकस्य देवः (इन्द्रः) तस्य सदृशं. विस्फूर्जितं=(विलसितं) Manifestation of power.

Alankāra—उदात्त. उदात्तं वस्तुनः संपत् *K. Pra.*

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. *See Stanza 6.*

Translation—Elephants, whose temples have burst through rut and who are heavy with sleep, stand at the gate, as well as high-spirited horses adorned with golden ornaments prance there, [and their owner] is awakened from his sleep by the sound of the lute, the fife, the drum, the conch-shell and cymbals: all this—a state like that of the Lord of the deities—is the manifestation of the power of religious merit.

XVI.

Notes and Explanation—संतो०—संतोषेण निरंतरं प्रमुदिताः. The words संतोष, प्रमोद, मुदित more or less convey one and the same idea hence the reading has been altered. भिन्नाः=Interrupted, altered. मुदः=Pleasures, joys. धन०—धनलोभेन संकुला धीर्येषां. इत्थं=So that, this being the case. कस्य कृते = For whose sake. *See note on अस्मकृते Stanza 2.* पदं = Abode. "When words like पात्रं, स्थानं, आस्पदं, पदं &c., are used as predicates they are always in the singular number and neuter gender though the subject be of any number or gender and the verb agrees with the subject and not with the predicative noun whatever be its position." *Apte.* स्वात्मनि एव goes with समाप्त only ; *see note on*

परेषां Stanza 26. मेरुः—*See* note, St. 49. मे—The root रुच् and others having the same sense govern the dative of the person or thing pleased or satisfied. *Pāṇini* रुच्यर्थानां प्रीयमाणः I. iv. 33 .
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Construe:— इत्थं स्वात्मन्येव समाप्तहेममहिमा सः मेरुः, विधिना संपदां तादृक् पदं कस्य कृते कृतः, सः or एतत् (=विधेः कृत्यं) मे न रोचते. We do not see any beauty nor propriety in the last sentence सः मे न रोचते. It seems to be superfluous.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित. *See* Stanza 6.

Translation—The pleasures of those who are constantly satisfied with contentment are never altered, while the desire of those, whose minds are engrossed with lust after riches, never ceases; then for whose sake was Meru so full of wealth, created by the Creator, [since] its golden splendour is confined to itself alone. I do not like it.

XVII.

Notes and Explanation—त्रिषु—If the poet had used the locative of कमल, सत्पुरुष &c., that would have been a proper and concise construction obviating the necessity of this word. त्रितयम्—*See* note on द्वयी in Stanza 33.

Metre—आर्या. *See* Stanza 3.

Translation—The three qualities viz: red colour, beneficence and cruelty are natural to the lotus, the good and the wicked respectively.

XVIII.

Notes and Explanation—For the first line, comp: Stanza 65. गजाङ्गनायाः—The rev: Mr. Wortham explains this word by 'female elephant.' We are not aware if leanness either of the body or the waist is the best quality in female elephant. We would explain the word as a woman of the हस्तिनी class. नायिका पुनर्मृगी वडवा हस्तिनी चेति. *Kāmasūtra*. Some writers on erotical science have classified women as पद्मिनी, चित्रिणी, हस्तिनी and शंखिनी.

कटौ—Mr. Telang's reading makes the 2nd line metrically defective. We have completed it by adopting this word as found in the Subhāshit-Ratna-Bhāndāgāra. Besides, this word is more appropriate since slender waist is a characteristic of beauty among women. शीलम्—See Stanza 82 and 109.

Alankāra—दीपक. *Metre*—वंशस्थ.

Translation—Truthfulness is the best quality [in man], slender waist, in a woman of the Hastini class, and learning as well as patience, in a Brahmin. Every one is best adorned by a virtuous conduct.

XIX.

Notes and Explanation—For वरं-न, see note in St. 14.

गुरु०—गुरुश्चासौ शिखरी च तस्य=Of a great mountain. विषमे=In a difficult place. The reading कापि विषमे gives a greater force to the assertion कठिनदृषदन्तर्विदलितः. कठि०—कठिनाश्च ताः दृषदश्च, तासां भन्तः (मध्ये) विदलितः=Crushed among hard rocks. तीव्रदशने=तीव्राः दशनाः यस्य, तस्मिन्. तदपि=तथापि.

Metre—शिखरिणी. See Stanza 8.

Translation—Better to fall from the lofty top of a great mountain in some difficult place and have the body dashed to pieces among hard rocks : better to put the hand in the mouth of a serpent having sharp fangs : better to fall into the fire—than to swerve from good conduct.

XX.

Notes and Explanation—विरम—See note in Stanza 27.

विरसा०=“The troubles of which has nothing to sweeten it.”

दुर०=दुरध्वसायात्=From foolish occupation. For the तस्, see note in Stanza 10 and for the use of the ablative, see note in St. 80.

ईक्षितुम्—See note on रोद्धुं Stanza 6. अयि—This is a vocative particle, instead of which Mr. Telang has अपि which he con-

strues with कल्पापाये. कल्पापाये=At the time of universal destruction. See note on कल्पान्ते Stanza 16. व्यपे०—व्यपेतः निजक्रमः येषां ते=Those who have left their limits. कुल०—See note on कुलाचल mis : Stanza 6 *supra*. The latter half of the Stanza is construed by Mr. Telang in two ways :—(1) कल्पापायेऽपि अव्यपेत-निजक्रमाः एते कुलशिखरिणः क्षुद्राः न भवन्ति न वैते जलराशयः or (2) कल्पापायेऽपि कुलशिखरिणः व्यपेतनिजक्रमाः क्षुद्राश्च न [भवन्ति] न वैते जलराशयः. He supports his interpretation by a quotation from *Vīracharita* न कम्पन्ते ब्रह्मामरुति किल वाति प्रतिदिशम् &c. It is a well-known mythological belief that the great mountains and oceans leave their limits at the time of universal destruction. See *Bhāgawat* 8th Skandha, 24 Chap :. We would construe the lines in the following manner :—

एते (महान्तः), कल्पापाये व्यपेतनिजक्रमाः क्षुद्राः कुलशिखरिणः न, जलराशयो वा न. or नैते क्षुद्राः कुलशिखरिणः, न वा एते जलराशयः [ये] कल्पापाये व्यपेतनिजक्रमाः [भवन्ति]. Compare :—गिरयो गुरवस्तेभ्योऽप्युर्वी गुर्वी ततोऽपि जगदण्डम् ॥ तस्मादप्यतिगुरवः प्रलयेप्यचला महात्मानः ॥ *Bhāmi* : I.

Alankāra—व्यतिरेक. See Mis : Stanza 4.

Metre—हरिणी. See Stanza 9.

Translation—If thou expectest to see firm-minded persons fall from their fortitude in misfortune, cease from this foolish occupation, the trouble of which has nothing to sweeten it. Oh small-minded chap! These personages are not the wretched Kulashikhari mountains, nor the oceans, which abandon their precincts at the time of universal destruction.

XXI.

Notes and Explanation—भुजयोरन्तरं=Bosom, chest. न ना क्रो-
हं भुजान्तरं *Amar*. The root स्पृह governs the accusative of the object for which a longing or earnest desire is indicated. प्रकर्षवि-
वक्षायां तु परत्वात्कर्मसंज्ञा, 'पुष्पाणि स्पृहयति' *Sid* : *Kau* ; otherwise it governs the dative, see Stanza 45. आयतकरवा०—This is appli-

cable to श्री and वनिता. When going with the former it means आयताश्च ते करवालाश्च, ते एव कररुहाः, तैः विदीर्णैः=Wounded by nail-like swords. In the case of the second, आयताः करवालाः इव कररुहाः, तैः विदीर्णैः=Scratched by sword-like nails. व्युत्तन्न०—व्युत्तन्न=Accomplished. प्रौढवनिता=प्रगल्भा An accomplished mature woman clever in amorous sports. स्मरान्धा गाढतारुण्या समस्तरतकोविदा ॥ भावोन्नतादरव्रीडा प्रगल्भाक्रान्तनायका ॥ *Sahitya Darp*:. The definition will itself account for the nail-marks from the woman's hand on her lover's body. Compare :—उपहितं शिशिरापगमाश्रिया मुकुलजाल्मशोभत किंशुके ॥ प्रणयिनीव नखक्षतमण्डनं प्रमदया मदयापितलज्जया ॥ *Ragh*: IX. 31.

Alankāra—उपमा. *Metre*—आर्या. See Stanza 3.

Translation—The splendour of glory longs for the hero's chest marked by long nail-like swords, just as a forward woman clever in amorous sports longs for a man's chest scratched by [her] nails long and sharp like sword.

XXII.

Notes and Explanation—अमृतनिधानं=A store of nectar. नायकः is to be taken with ओषधीनाम्; the phrase means 'the lord of herbs.' For the idea conveyed by both the adjectives compare the names of the moon 'सुधांशुः' and 'ओषधीशः.' अपि—This should be construed with each of the adjectives in the first two lines. शतभि०—शतभिषज् (1) The Shatatārkā Nakshatra or the 24th of the lunar mansions containing one hundred stars. (2) A hundred physicians. The whole phrase therefore means 'followed by the Shatatārakā Nakshatra' and allegorically, 'attended upon by a hundred physicians.' अवतंसः=Crest, an ornament of the head. The adjectives in the first half of the Stanza indicate that the moon possesses all the necessary means required to cure a disease. भिषग्द्रव्याण्युपस्थाता रोगी पादचतुष्टयम् *Vāgbhat*. विरहयति=Does not leave. राजयक्ष्मा—यक्ष्मणां राजा इति राजयक्ष्मा (यक्ष्मन्=a disease)=The lord of diseases viz: consump-

tion; it also means 'consumption of the moon.' *Comp*: राशध्वन्म-
सो यस्माद्भूदेष किलामयः ॥ तस्मात्तं राजयस्मेति प्रवदन्ति मनीषिणः. *Yoga-*
ratnākara. हतविधिपरिपाकः=Result brought on by wretched
fate. See note Stanza 94.

Alankāra—विशेषोक्ति and अर्थान्तरन्यास. *Metre*—मालिनी.

Translation—Consumption does not leave the moon al-
though she is the store of nectar, the lord of all herbs, is attend-
ed upon by Shatabhishak and is the ornament of the head of
Shiva. Who can avoid the operations of wretched fate?

XXIII.

Notes and Explanation—सविभ्रमाः=Sportive. श्वेता०—श्वेतं
च तद् आतपत्रं च तेन उज्ज्वला. For the idea see Naishadha I. 1. *Raghu*
III. 16, IX. 15. इति stands for the whole preceding statement
and is the object of अनुभूयते. अनु०—अनुस्यूत=Woven, unbroken;
as opposed to विच्छिन्न in the third line. नितरां—See note in St. 18.
The word goes with प्रयाति. अनङ्गक०—अनङ्गकलहस्य क्रीडायां भ्रुतन्तः
तन्तवः यस्य तत्. In this compound the affix क at the end, has
been added according to the Sutra शेषाद्विभाषा *Pāṇinī* V. iv. 154.
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भ्रश्यत्=Missing. दिशः प्रयाति=Goes in all directions; becomes
invisible. Mr. Telang proposes दृशोदृश्यताम् instead of दिशो दृश्य-
ताम् but we construe ऋटिति भ्रश्यत् सत् दिशः प्रयाति; दृश्यताम्.

Alankāra—उपमा. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—A magnificent mansion, sportive young dam-
sels, prosperity attended with such signs of royalty as the
white umbrella: these are enjoyed by man as long as he has an
unbroken store of merits from his actions in former life; on its,
however, being exhausted, behold! all these things scatter away
in all directions and disappear like the pearls of a necklace
whose threads have been broken during love-sports.

Notes Vairāgya

NOTES ON VAIRĀGYASHATAKA.

STANZA I.

Notes and Explanation—We find चूडोत्तंसितचारुचन्द्र &c. (vide Vairāgya Mis: St. 16) as the benedictory verse in some Mss: of the Vairāgyashataka and we should have adopted the same since the subject of this Shataka is quite distinct from the previous one. We have, however, retained the benedictory verse of the Nitishataka as done by Mr. Telang.

For Notes, translation &c. See Stanza I Niti:

II.

Notes and Explanation—प्रभवः=men of position. स्मय०—स्मय=Pride. see Stanza 69 *infra*. अबो०—"Smitten by ignorance." जीर्णम्=absorbed, perished. सुभा०=Good speech. Past passive participles ending in त have sometimes the sense of neuter abstract nouns नपुंसके भावेक्तः *Pānini* III. iii. 114. see note 3090 on भ्रान्तम् Niti: 14. "Learning remains absorbed in its possessor, without appreciation by others" *Telang*. For a parallel expression see Stanza 91 *infra*.

Alankāra—काव्यलिङ्ग. See Niti: Stanza 39.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—Learned men are under the influence of envious feelings, men of position are spoilt through pride and the rest are smitten by ignorance: hence eloquent speech wastes away wherever it be.

III.

Notes and Explanation—संसारोत्पन्नं चरितम्—Course of worldly life. अनुपश्यामि = “see in prospect” Cf. नच श्रेयोऽनुपश्यामि *Gītā* I. 31. कुशलं=Happy. विपाकः=Result see *Niti*: 99. विमृशतः=वि+मृश् to think, consider; *Com*: *Niti* 87. चिरपरि०—चिरं परिगृहीताः=Enjoyed for a long time. हि=Since, because. We have adopted हि in place of च because the idea in the latter half of the stanza is not simply co-ordinated with that of the first half but accounts for the terror produced on the contemplation of the result of meritorious deeds which is far from being a happy one as mentioned in the last line. व्यसनं= Misery. व्यसनं विपदि भ्रंशे दोषे कामजकोपजे *Amar*. इष should be taken with दातुम्. Construe विषया विषयिणां व्यसनं दातुमिव महान्तो जायन्ते. Men are tempted by worldly objects and their temptation increases along with misery in proportion to the tenacity with which they adhere to them. न जातु कामः कामानामुपभोगेन शाम्यति॥हविषः कृष्णवर्त्मनः भूय एवामिव वर्धते *Gītā*. Whatever be the accumulation of the merits of such people, there is a limit to it and they have to fall back into the meshes of this mundane life; this is व्यसन.

ते तं भुक्त्वा स्वर्गलोकं विशालं

क्षीणे पुण्ये मर्त्यलोकं विशन्ति ॥ *Gītā* IX. 21.

विषयिणां &c.—Worldly matters trouble only those who cling to them and not the ascetics, hence those who wish to gain final beatitude must not attach themselves to worldly objects.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—I do not find any course of worldly life to be pleasurable. When I reflect on the result of good deeds, I am

seized with fear ; for the material enjoyment secured for a long time by the performance of numerous meritorious acts, assumes greater proportions to prove as it were a source of pain to those who are attached to objects of sense.

IV.

Notes and Explanation—निधिशङ्कया—With the expectation of getting treasures. ध्माताः=Smelted. In former times

several people in almost all countries spent their lives in the acquisition of the noble metals by the transformation of the baser ones by an admixture of the latter with mercury.

रुदन्तीरसमादाय रसेन सह मर्दयेत् ॥ रविपत्रप्रलेपास्तु दिव्यं भवति काञ्चनम् ॥

नि० रत्ना०

शीताम्रं गंधकं सूतं रक्तपुष्पं तु पञ्चमम् ॥ वज्रिक्षीरेण संयुक्तं वंगं तारयते क्षणात् ॥

नि० रत्ना०

मृतरसपलमेकं पंचनागं तु देयं कनकबलविमिश्रं ध्मातसूतावशेषम् ॥

जयति शतवारं चैवमेव प्रकारं भवति स रसराजः कोटिवेधी क्रमेण ॥

निषंटरत्नाकर.

Even to this day we know of instances in which fortunes have been wrecked after alchemy. The pursuit after riches in this manner, if it has done nothing else, has at least helped the cause of chemical science in western countries and the Sanskrit works on रसवैद्यक have been more or less an outcome of this wild chase. धातवः=Ores. निरुतीर्णः=crossed. मन्त्रा०—मन्त्राणां आराधनं (साधनं) तस्मिन् तत्परेण. The acquisition of supernatural powers by incantations was another wild chase in this country; see *Chandkau.* act IV. People are after it even to this day. Sanskrit literature (तंत्रशास्त्र) abounds in treatises on incantations. इमशाने—The burning ground is the place and the day of full moon, of eclipse &c. is the usual time for मन्त्रसाधन. नीताः=Passed. काणवरा०—काण=Broken. For the

expression काणवराटकोऽपि न प्राप्तः Com : Maráthi “मला फुटकी कवडी देखील मिळली नाही.”

Alankára—काव्यलिङ्ग. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—In the hope of getting treasures I dug the earth, smelted the ores of the mountains, crossed the ocean, humoured kings with great effort, spent nights in a cemetery with my mind fully bent upon the acquisition of charms: but failed even to get a broken cowrie. Oh Avarice! Do leave me now,

V.

Notes and Explanation—भ्रान्तं—“Many intransitive verbs have past passive participles and they, as well as the past participles of transitive verbs used intransitively, are often used impersonally with an instrumental construction,” see *Pānini* III. iv 72¹.

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Comp : जनस्याने भ्रान्तं कनकमृगतृष्णाकुलधिया *Uttar Rām* :

हन्तजातमजातारे : प्रथमेन त्वयारिणा *Múgha* II.

देशं—is an accusative of place. अनेक०—अनेकैः दुर्गैः विषमं. For दुर्ग see note Niti: 14. जातिकुला०—जातिः कुलं च, तयोः अभिमानम्.

भुक्तं—see note on भ्रान्तं *supra*. मानवि०—मानेन विवर्जितं यया स्यात्तथा, आशङ्कया=Through fear of being noticed by others.

Com : नद्याशङ्का हरिणशिशवो मन्दमन्दं चरन्ति *Sha* ; I. काकवत्=

काकेन तुल्यं *Com* ; काकोऽपि जीवति चिरं च बलिं च भुङ्क्ते *Panch* : जृम्भसि=

विकसिता भवसि=increase in extent. पापकर्म०—Voc; Sing: going with तृष्णे, पापकर्म=Wicked or mean act; निरत=given to, attached to.

Alankára—विशेषोक्ति. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—I wandered over several regions risky on account of difficult tracts, but gained nothing. I put aside my

appropriate pride of caste and family and rendered services which have proved useless. I cast off all self-respect and like a crow ate uneasily at the houses of strangers. Still Oh Avarice! thou, who delightest in wicked acts, increasest and art not satisfied.

VI.

Notes and Explanation—खलो०—उद्धप=abuses, taunting words. सोढाः—Past passive participle from सह् to bear. कथमपि—With great difficulty. तदारा०—तेषां (खलानां) आराधने-परैः (तत्परैः). अस्माभिः should be taken ' understood ' after तदारा० परैः. The plural used here instead of singular (see the word माम् in the last line) shows disrespect about one-self. See note on वयम् Stanza XI. *infra*. निगृह्य—अन्तः बाष्पं नि-गृह्य—Suppressing the tears. हसितं—for the construction see note on भ्रान्तं Stanza 5 *supra*. शून्येन मनसा—With a blank mind; " without really feeling that which occasions the हसित " Telang. Krishna Shastree interprets शून्य=स्तब्ध *i. e.* कार्याकार्यविचारशून्य. He takes हसितं as an abstract noun and construes शून्येन मनसा हसितमपि (of course खलानां must be supplied) सोढं, but the construction is farfetched. चित्तस्तम्भः=Suppressing the different feelings that arise in the mind. प्रतिहतधियां—प्रतिहता धीर्येषां ते=Senseless; dull-headed. आशे=Voc: sing: of आशा. Here the principle of desire or avarice is personified. मोघाशे—मोघाः (निष्फलः) आशाः (मनोरथाः) यस्याः सा. किमपरं—construe अतःपरं किमु मां बर्तेयसि. Mr. Telang has किमपरमतः in his text which is followed by Krishna Shastree and Mr. Kale, but अतःपरं is the more common expression of the two.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—With great difficulty have I suffered the taunts of evil men while engaged in propitiating them; even

with suppressed tears have I smiled with a blank mind. I restrained my feelings and even bowed to the senseless. Oh Avarice, who hast been unsuccessful! how much more than this wilt thou make me dance?

VII.

Notes and Explanation—**गतागतैः**—गतानि च आगतानि च, तैः By the coming and going *i. e.* rising and setting. *see* note on सुभाषितं Stanza 2 *supra*. **अहरहः** Every day. **बहुकार्यं**—बहवश्च ते कार्यभाराश्च, तैः गुरुभिः. **कालो न विज्ञायते** *i. e.* The passing of time is not known. न विज्ञायते may also be taken with the previous expression जीवितं संक्षीयते इति न विज्ञायते, कालश्च न विज्ञायते so as to suit the sense of the 4th line. **जन्मजरा**—जन्म च जरा च विपत्तिश्च मरणं च, तेषां समाहारः. **त्रासः**=Fear. **मोहमयी**—मोहप्रचुरा=Delusive. The affix मयद् (मय) is added to nouns in the sense of 'profusion or excess' and also in sense of 'made of.' तत्प्रकृतवचने मयद् *Pāṇini* V. iv. 21. **उन्मत्तभूतं**—उन्मत्तमिवेत्युन्मत्तभूतं। इवार्थे भूतशब्दइति कैयटः *Com* : आशास्यमन्यत्पुनरुक्तभूतं *Raghu* V. 34. *see* the commentary of Charitra Vardhan thereon and our note on भारभूताः *Niti*. Stanza 13th.

Alankāra—**काव्यलिङ्ग**. *Metre*—**शार्दूलविक्रीडित**.

Translation—Life daily decreases with the rising and setting of the sun. Even the flight of time is not felt by persons in consequence of their being engaged in numerous affairs which weigh heavily on them. No disgust is produced at beholding birth, and old age, and trouble and death (here). This world is maddened by the intoxicating wine of delusion.

VIII.

Notes and Explanation—दीना goes with गेहिनी and दीनमुखैः with शिशुकैः. शिशुकैः—शिशवः एव शिशुकाः तैः. आकृष्टं—आकृष्टं जीर्णं अम्बरं (वस्त्रं) यस्याः सा= Whose tattered dress is pulled. क्रोशद्भिः = Crying. विधुरा=Perplexed, Dejected. विधुरं स्यात्प्रविश्लेषे न द्वयोर्विकले त्रिषु *Medint.* गेहिनी=Wife. याच्छा०—याच्छायाः भङ्गः, तस्य भवेन on account of the fear of a refusal of the request. गद्गद०—गद्गदः यः गलः, तत्र व्युत्थान्ति विलीनानि अक्षराणि यस्मिन्कर्मणि यथा स्युस्तथा. गद्गदगलः=choked up throat. व्युत्थान्ति=Broken, interrupted, faltering. विलीनानि=Stuck. This is an adverbial phrase and modifies the verb वदेत्. Krishna Shastri takes the whole compound as गद्गदं यथास्यास्तथा गलन्ति (मुखाद्बहिर्निर्गतानि) व्युत्थान्ति (स्खलन्ति) अतएव विलीनानि (लुप्तानि) अक्षराणि यस्मिन्कर्मणि यथा भवति तथा. स्वदग्ध०—दग्ध=Wretched, accursed, vile. दग्ध before a noun is used to imply the sense of contempt. नायापि मे दग्धदेहः पतति. *Uttar 4.* अर्थे used adverbially 'for the sake of.' मनस्वी—see note Niti: Stanza 33.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—If a man did not see his wife distressed and having a care-worn appearance, with hungry and noisy children ever tugging at her thread-bare raiment with piteous looks, what man, who respects himself would, for the sake of his accursed stomach, cry out "give me"—the syllables being broken and absorbed in the choked throat for fear of the supplication being rejected.

IX.

Notes and Explanation—भोगेच्छा—भोगस्य इच्छा desires; carnal passions. पुरुष०—Here पुरुष may be taken as expressive of पुरुषत्व (भावप्रधानो निर्देशः) and explained as पुरुषस्य बहुमानः

Pride of manliness ; or otherwise पुरुषेषु बहुमानः great respect among men. समानाः=of equal age, rank &c. स्वर्गताः=Have gone to heaven, died. स्वर् is an indeclinable meaning Heaven, paradise. स्वरव्ययं स्वर्गनाकत्रिदिवत्रिदशलयाः Amar. सपदि—soon.

सुहृदः—Friends, see note Niti Stanza 28. जीवितसमाः = equal to (one's) life ; as dear as very life जीवितेन समाः. A noun in the instrumental may be compounded with the words पूर्व, सदृश, सम, ऊन and words having the sense of ऊन, कलह, निपुण, मिश्र, भ्रष्ट and अवर. पूर्वसदृशसमोनार्थकलहनिपुणमिश्रभ्रष्टैः Pānini II. i. 31 and 693

अवरस्योपसंख्यानं Vārtik. यष्ट्यु०—यष्टि a stick, यष्ट्या उत्थानं. घन-
ति०—तिमिर a kind of eye disease. घनेन तिमिरेण रुद्धे. अहो—
What wonder ! धृष्टः impudent, shameless. तदपि=तथापि see Niti.
Mis : Stanza 19. मरणा०—मरणं एव अपायः तस्मात् चकितः (भीतः).

Alankāra—विभावना. Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—Desire for enjoyments is over, pride of adolescence is gone, friends who were our equals and whom we loved as our very life, have suddenly gone to Heaven ; we get up slowly by the support of a stick, our eye-sight has been obstructed by thick cataract. Alas ! this shameless body is still afraid of death.

X.

Notes and Explanation—हिंसा०—हिंसया शून्यं Void of injury, got without injuring any one, Cf. " And from the mountains grassy side, a guiltless feast I bring " Goldsmith. अयत्न०—लब्धुं योग्यं लभ्यं, अयत्नेन लभ्यं अयत्नलभ्यं. अशनं = Food. Construe धात्रा व्यालानां मरुदशनं कल्पितं. In such constructions the noun or adjective used to complete the sense of the verb of incomplete predication, is put in the nominative case ; see Apte's guide

Sec. 12 A. **तृणा०**—तृणाङ्कुरान् भुञ्जते इति. **स्थली०**—स्थली=अकृत्रिम-भूमिः natural ground स्थल्यां शेरते तच्छीलः. For the affix इन् of the word शायिन् see note on शाकाहारी Niti: Stanza 81. **संसा०**—संसार एव अर्णवः तस्य लंघने क्षमा समर्था धीर्येषां, तेषाम्. **वृत्तिः** mode of living. **समार्प्ति**—An end. समार्प्ति प्रयान्ति—are spent away, are all exhausted (in trying to earn their livelihood).

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Air has been provided as food for serpents by the Creator; it is easily obtained and involves no injury to animal life. Beasts living on land have been created with power to eat grass; while man, who is endowed with talents capable of carrying him over the ocean of life, has been assigned a mode of living, in pursuit of which all his good qualities are invariably brought to an end.

XI.

Notes and Explanation—**पदं=चरणः**. Cf. संबिन्तयेद्भगवत्तश्चरणारविन्दं Bhág. **विधिवत्**=according to rules laid down in Yoga-shâstra. **संसार०**—विच्छिन्ति=cutting off or asunder, destruction. Cf. निदाघसम्भृतजगत्संतापविच्छिन्नये Niti: Mis: St. 9. संसार-विच्छिन्ति is अपुनर्भव or मोक्ष “ the destruction of future births.” There is a distinction between this and Swarga which is “ the paradise of the enjoyment of objects of sense.” **स्वर्ग०**—द्वार=A door. कपाट=Leaf or panel of a door. स्वर्गस्य द्वारं, तस्य यत्कपाटं तस्य पाटने (उद्घाटने) पटुः (समर्थः). **धर्मः**=Religious merit. विहितकर्म-जन्यो धर्मः Turk. **नारी०**—नार्याः पीनौ यौ पयोधरौ तयोः ऊर्वोश्च युगलं. युगल is to be found in Mr. Telang's and other texts but it ought to be युगलम् which Bhánuji Dikshit derives as युगं लाति or युगमस्त्यस्य वा. **मातुः** goes with यौवन. **यौवनवन०**—यौवनमेव वनं,

तस्य च्छेदे. जाताः should be supplied. वयं—The plural here indicates disparagement of one's self. Cf. Stanza 64, 66, 67 *infra* and वयं तत्त्वान्वेषान्मधुकर हतास्त्वं खलु कृती *Shá*.

The distinction between स्वर्ग and संसारविच्छिन्ति is noteworthy. "The destruction of future births," "the enjoyment of paradise," and "the enjoyment of worldly objects" are so to say in the descending scale. They have been mentioned by the poet in the first three lines of the Stanza. Moksha or the first condition is attainable by a contemplation of and perfect assimilation with the Deity. न स पुनरावर्तते *Shruti*. Sacrifices and holy deeds are the means to the attainment of Swarga. ज्योतिष्टोमेन स्वर्गकामो यजेत *Shruti*. The enjoyment of Swarga is nothing as compared to Moksha. The last is the lowest form of enjoyment ते तं भुक्त्वा स्वर्गलोकं विशालं क्षीणे पुण्ये मर्त्यलोकं विशन्ति || *Gita* IX. 21.

Alankára—काव्यलिङ्ग. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—We did not contemplate the feet of the Deity according to the prescribed rules, with a view to cut off the recurrence of worldly life; nor did we acquire religious merit, which has the power of opening ajar the doors of Swarga, nor did we embrace even in a dream a pair of full breasts and thighs of women. We have only served as hatchets to hue the forest-like bloom of the youth of our mother.

XII.

Notes and Explanation—न भुक्ताः=Not enjoyed. वयमेव भुक्ताः—कालेनेति शेषः We have been devoured by Kála i. e. Death. Mr. Telang says "preyed upon by the desire for enjoyments which we have not enjoyed." न तप्तं = Not performed. *Com.*: अगणिततनूतापं तप्त्वा तपांसि भगीरथः *Uttar*. I 23. तप्ताः= have been troubled with worldly cares and anxieties. तप् is both transitive and intransitive; here used intransitively. *Com.*:

तपति न सा किसलयशयनेन *Gita Go*: VII. वयमेव याताः—Being interminable, Kāla may be said to be immoveable and we only pass off under his influence. Krishna Shāstri has यस्मिन्काले यदुचितं कर्म तद्विहीनाः जाताः. तृष्णा न जीर्णा—*Com*: तृष्णा तरुणायते *St. 14. infra*. जीर्णाः=“ enfeebled by old age.” जीर्ण is *past participle* from जृ to become old. See Stanza 2 *Supra*.

Alankāra—विषम. *Metre*—उपजाति.

Translation—We have not enjoyed any pleasures but have ourselves been made the objects of enjoyment (by death); we have not undergone religious austerities but have been heated with worldly anxieties ; time has not gone but we ourselves have gone. Desire has not withered but we have.

XIII.

Notes and Explanation—क्षान्तं—Pardoned or bore. For the construction see note on भ्रान्तं *St. 5. Supra*. न क्षमया not through forgiveness. गृहो०—गृहे उचितं सुखं. न संतोषतः not voluntarily. दुःसह०—शीतं च वातश्च तपनश्च शीतवा०—तपनाः, दुःसहश्च ते शी०—तपनाश्च, तेषां क्लेशः. The ablative क्लेशात् which is the reading in many of the texts before us, does not bring out the poet's idea clearly. Moreover, syntactical uniformity is preferable; hence the adoption of the reading सोढो दुःसह &c. न तप्तं तपः—Penance was not performed. नियमि०—*Com*: अन्तर्द्वयं मुमुक्षु-भिर्नियमितप्राणादिभिर्मृग्यते *Vikram*. तैस्तैः फलैर्वञ्चिताः—Deceived by the various fruits. The substance is—Neither in the pardoning of injuries nor in the abandonment of home was there any idea of self-abnegation ; the first proceeding from want of power to revenge the injuries, the second, because the pleasures of home were inattainable. We have suffered as much pain in the pursuit of earthly things as if we had prac-

tised the acts of self-denial inculcated by the wise and the result is that we have gained no fruits of righteousness.

Alankāra—विशेषोक्ति. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—We pardoned but not through forgiveness, we abandoned the pleasures of home but not voluntarily, we endured the pains of excessive cold, wind, and heat but not for the sake of practising austerities; with suspended breath we devoted ourselves night and day to wealth but not to the feet of Shiva. We have exactly performed all the actions which ascetics perform but have failed in obtaining the various results (obtained by them).

XIV.

Notes and Explanation—बलिभिः=By folds or wrinkles. This word may be either बलि or बली under the Vārtik कृदिकाराद-
किनः. आक्रान्तं=Occupied. पलितैः=By grey hair. पलितं जरसा शैक्ल्यं
केशादौ-इत्यमरः. अङ्कितं=Marked. तृष्णैका तरुणायते—तरुणीवाच-
रति Desire is ever fresh. See note on जलायते Niti : Stanza 109.
For the idea compare जीर्यन्ते जीर्यतः केशा दन्ता जीर्यन्ति जीर्यतः ॥
जीर्यतश्चक्षुषी श्रोत्रे तृष्णैका तरुणायते *Panch.* V. 38.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—The face is streaked with wrinkles and the head marked with grey hair; limbs have grown languid but desire alone remains in full vigour.

XV.

Notes and Explanation—अम्बर०—अम्बरखण्ड=(1) a part of the sky (2) a strip of cloth. संवीत=(*past part*: from

व्ये with सम्) covered, clothed. दौर्गत्यं= दुर्गतस्य भावः (and not दुर्गतेः भावः as Mr. Kale explains it.) Wretchedness.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—What a wretchedness! the same strip of Ambar (sky or cloth) clothes the sun by day, with which the moon is clothed at night.

XVI.

Notes and Explanation—उषित्वा is an indeclinable *past part*: from वस् to dwell. The phrase चिरतर &c. means 'even after staying very long'. The second line is rather complicated and does not clearly give the desired meaning. " वियोग seems to answer to स्वयं त्यक्ताः in the fourth line meaning voluntary separation." *Telang*. वियोगे &c.—The separation or renouncement of pleasures is of two kinds (1) either they may leave one or (2) they may be intentionally renounced. In either case they are severed, but there is a difference in the result which is shewn in the next two lines. अतुल०—अतुलः (अनुपमः) यः परितापः तस्मै-भवन्ति should be supplied. In the case of the root कृप् and roots having a similar sense such as संपद्, भू &c., a noun expressive of the result to which anything leads or of the effect for which anything exists, is put in the dative case; भू or अस् is often omitted after a dative used in this sense. कृपि संपद्यमाने च *Vārtik. Apte's Guide* § 66. We cannot agree with Mr. Kale in his view of परितापाय signifying परितापं दातुम्. शमसुखं—शमः=शान्तिः *Comp*: विहाय कामान् यः सर्वान् पुमांश्चरति निस्पृहः ॥ निर्ममो निरहंकारः स शान्तिमधिगच्छति *Bhag. Gitā* II. 71. नित्यानन्दः प्रशान्ते हृदि तदिह सुखस्थैर्ययोः साहचर्यं *Vedānt-Kesari*.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—Pleasures even after remaining with one for a long time are sure to vanish ; what beauty is there in waiting to let them do so that a man does not voluntarily give them up. When they themselves depart, they give poignant pain to the mind, but when abandoned by one out of his own free will, infinite happiness is the result in consequence of the peace of mind (from the consciousness of having given them up).

XVII.

Notes and Explanation—**विवेक**—Discrimination of नित्य-वस्तु (supreme invisible Spirit) from the अनित्य (visible or material world). **व्याकोश**—Expanded, developed. व्याकोशविकचस्फुटाः *Amara*. विवेकेन व्याकोशे. It goes with शमे. If we take व्याकोश as a noun the compound would be व्यधिकरणबहुव्रीहि-विवेकस्य व्याकोशः यस्मिन्, तस्मिन्. **शम** is defined in the Vedāntasāra as श्रवणादिव्यतिरिक्तविषयेभ्यो मनसो निग्रहः restraining of the mind from attachment to anything except hearing, contemplating &c. the holy texts (i. e. Upanishads &c.). **परिष्वङ्गे**—परिष्वङ्ग=lit. an embrace, hence “attachment to objects of sense.” **परिणतिः**=result, end. *Construe* विवेकव्याकोशे शमे विकसति, तुङ्गे तृषापरिष्वङ्गे शाम्यति सति both *loc. abeo* ∴ **प्रसरतितरां**—For the addition of तरां see note on नितरां Niti: St. 18. **जरा०**—जराजीर्ण=Worn out by long use ; old through age. जरया जीर्णस्य ऐश्वर्यस्य यत् प्रसनं प्रासः (उपभोगः) तेन, यः गहनः आक्षेपः (मनःकर्षणं), तेन कृपणः=Wretched by reason of the strong distraction of the enjoyment of greatness old through age. For आक्षेप *Comp* : विषयाक्षेपपर्यस्तबुद्धेः St. 47 *infra*. **तृषापात्रं**=An object of greed. **यस्यां** (परिणतौ) This is विषयसप्तमी. **महतामधिपतिः**=The lord of the gods i. e. Indra. The third line as Mr. Telang remarks is not quite clear. It means “wretched by reason of the strong distraction of the enjoyment of greatness old through age;” greatness meaning

the splendour and paraphernalia of a high position; or it may be taken to mean decrepit through old age, and wretched by reason of the strong distraction of the enjoyment of greatness. Krishna Shástri explains the phrase as जरया जीर्णमैश्वर्यं, प्रसनं अन्नादिभक्षणं, तन्निमित्तो गहनो गम्भीरो य आक्षेपो निन्दा च, ताभ्यां कृपण एवं-विधो मरुतामधिपतिः. The position of an individual engrossed in self-meditation is infinitely superior to that of a great king or that of Indra himself, but it cannot be attained without abandoning all hankering after material objects. This even Indra is not able to do and therefore a feeling of pity has been expressed by the poet.

The value of self-meditation will be seen from the extract from Vedánt-Kesari. It says आनन्दान् यश्च सर्वाननुभवति नृपः सर्व-संपत्समृद्धस्तस्यानन्दः स एकः स खलु शतगुणः संप्रदिष्टः पितृणाम् ॥ आदेवब्रह्म-लोकं शतशतगुणितास्ते यदन्तर्गताः स्युर्ब्रह्मानन्दः स एकोस्त्यथ विषयसुखान्यस्य मात्रा भवन्ति ॥

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—When self-restraint shines forth in a man by the development of true discrimination; when the strong hold which desire has on human mind is relaxed, then there appears that perfection (the last stage of contemplation) wherein even the lord of gods becomes an object of greed, inasmuch as he is wretched on account of the strong distraction of the enjoyment of greatness decrepit through age.

XVIII.

Notes and Explanation—काणः=one-eyed काणः काकैकचक्षु-
षोः *Mediní*. खञ्जः=Lame. पूयक्लिन्नः=Moistened with puru-
lent matter. Some read पूतिक्लिन्न, but the word पूति is rarely used
in the sense of पूय which is common. जीर्णः=Decayed with age.
पिठर०—पिठरमेव पिठरकं, तस्य कपाले (शकले) अर्पितः गलः येन one

who has thrust his head into the brim of an earthen jar in hope of finding something to eat in it. Mr. Telang has पिठरजकपाल which he explains " a fragment produced from i. e. of a jar " but this meaning is more easily got simply by षष्ठीतत्पुरुष. Some have dissolved पिठरजं as ' पिठराज्जायते इति ' but that is not correct. It ought to be पिठराज्जातं पिठरजं as the root जन् takes the form ज, only in the past tense under the sutra पञ्चम्यामजातौ *Pāṇi*: III. ii. 98.

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अन्वेति—follows. In some editions, this stanza is found in the Shringāra Shataka and perhaps that is its most appropriate place.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Taanslation—A dog, even emaciated, one-eyed, lame, crop-eared and without a tail, covered with sores and with purulent matter, with his body covered with hundreds of worms, exhausted with starvation and worn out by age and with the brim of an earthen jar round his neck, runs after a bitch. Love smites even him who is already sufficiently tortured.

XIX.

Notes and Explanativn—भिक्षा०—भिक्षया अशनं or भिक्षायाः अशनं. In the first case भिक्षा=begging; in the second it figuratively means ' food obtained by begging ' as in the expression भिक्षाणां समूहो भैक्षम् (*Sid: Kau:*). तदपि taken with नीरसं and एकवारं gives a greater force to expression. निजदेहमात्रं—निजदेह एव निजदेहमात्रं (मयूरव्यंसकादिसमास). सुजीर्णश०—सुतरां जीर्णानि यानि क्षतं खण्डानि, तेषां विकारः तत्प्रचुरा वा, सुजीर्ण०—यी. See note on मोहमयी St. 7 *supra*. Mr. Telang has two चs in the third line but one of them is superfluous, hence the reading सुजीर्ण &c. हाहा=अतिकष्टं. In the last line Mr. Telang's reading is विषया न परित्यजन्ति in which अस्मान् or some such word must be supplied,

which is obviated in our reading. Moreover instead of saying pleasures or enjoyments do not leave us, it is preferable to say our mind does not relinquish or abandon worldly enjoyments. It is the mind of man which tenaciously clings to material pleasures; hence the exhortations in Stanzas 58, and 60 as well as *Comp*: मनावे श्लोक by Rāmdāsa, and Wámana.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—Let the food be that which is obtained by begging and that too, perfectly tasteless and sufficient for only one meal, the ground for bed, one's own self the attendant, the dress no more than a quilt made up of hundreds of worn out rags. Alas! even then the mind does not abandon worldly pleasures.

XX.

Notes and Explanation—करिवर०—The adoption of the reading करिवरशिरः is sufficiently obvious. कवि०=By certain poets. गुरु कृतं—made much of, highly praised.

Metre—शिक्षरिणी.

Translation— × × × ×

XXI.

Notes and Explanation—अजान०—*Pres*: *Part*: used here to show cause. See note on सादन Niti: St. 12. *Com*: अज्ञानात् the ablative showing cause in the next line. माहात्म्यं—Greatness, of course of the दीपवहन. बडिशायुतं—To which a fish-hook has been attached. बडिशं मत्स्यवेधनम् *Amar*. पिशितं—Flesh. *Com*: Niti: St. 84. विजान०—विशेषेण जानन्तः. एते—Mark the idiomatic use of the pronoun एतत्. विपजा०—जाल Collection.

जालं समूह आनायः *Amar.* जटिल= Complicated. कामान्—Objects of desire. *Com.*: सर्वान् कामान् समश्नुते *Manu* II. 5. न जातु कामः कमानामुपभोगेन शाम्यति *Gitā*. गहनः=दुर्ज्ञेयः *Inscrutable. Com.*: गहना कर्मणो गतिः *Gitā* IV. 17.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—Let a moth drop (itself) into the flame of a lamp ignorant of its power ; let the fish too through ignorance bite the baited hook ; but even endowed as we are with the power of discernment, we do not stand aloof from sensual pleasures circumvented as they are with a network of troubles. Alas ! how inscrutable is the force of infatuation !!

XXII.

Notes and Explanation—फलं—The reading फलं is decidedly better than विसं as it is more commonly used in such places. See Stanzas 59, 93, 94 *infra*. शयनं=a bed, couch. शयनं सुरते निद्राशय्ययोश्च नपुंसकं *Medinī*. शी+ल्युट् (अन) added in the sense of अधिकरण. *Pānini* III. iii. 117. *अवनिपृष्ठं*—This

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reading is preferred to अ० पृष्ठे to preserve a sequence of case. Cf. शय्या च भूः *St.* 19 *supra*; मही रम्या शय्या Stanzas 59, 79 *infra*. नव०—नवं च तत् धनं च, तदेव मधु (मयं), तस्य पानेन भ्रान्तानि सर्वाणि इन्द्रियाणि येषां, तेषाम्. अनुमन्तुं नोत्सहे—I am not able to bear or tolerate. The idea in this Stanza is almost the same as in 59 *infra*.

Metre—मालिनी.

Translation—Fruits for food, fresh water for drink, bare ground for a bed (to lie upon), a couple of barks for clothing are acceptable ; but I cannot tolerate the rudeness of wicked persons, whose all senses have been maddened by the enjoyment of newly acquired wealth which has proved a wine to them.

XXIII.

Notes and Explanation—विपु०—Large-hearted, high-minded. जनितं—refers to Bramhá. विधृतं=upheld, preserved; refers to Vishnu. दत्तं—refers to Parshurám. तृणं यथा=तृणमिव. व वा यथा तथैवैवं साम्ये Amar. भुञ्जते—refers to Bali. भुञ् hear means 'to enjoy' and not 'to protect.' भुञ् is always Atmanepadi except in the sense of protecting. भुजोऽनवने Pánini I. iii. 66. 2737. कति०—is a loc: absolute कतिपयानां पुराणां स्वाम्ये सति=When there is supremacy over a few towns. मदज्वरः Com: ज्वर इव मदो मे व्यपगतः Niti: Stanza 8.

Metre—हरिणी.

Translation—Formerly the world was created by some large-hearted blessed persons; by some was it sustained, by others was it conquered and given away as if it were a blade of grass: some noble persons even now enjoy the fourteen worlds. What fever of pride (passion) then is it in men having supremacy over a few towns ?

XXIV.

Notes and Explanation—उपासितगु०—उपासित=Served. प्रज्ञा= Discretion, wisdom. उपासितः यः गुरुः, तस्मात् [लब्धा] या प्रज्ञा (कार्याकार्यविवेकवती बुद्धिः), तस्याः अभिमानेन उन्नताः. मानद=(1) मानं ददाति one who confers honour on thers; (2) मानं यति one who cuts the pride of his enemies. The second sense is preferable. अन्तरं—Distance, difference. परा०—पराङ् मुखं यस्य one whose face is turned away; hence averse, avoiding, cold. एकान्ततः=perfectly, totally. निस्पृहाः=Indifferent. (1) This word can be written as in the text, (2) निः स्पृहाः or (3) निस्स्पृहाः by the rule अपरे शरि वा विसर्गलोपो वक्तव्यः Vártik.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Thou art a king, we too are high (enough) through the strong confidence (we have) of our wisdom acquired from our preceptor whom we served: thou art celebrated through thy wealth, our successes are celebrated by poets in (all) directions. Thus, Oh mortifier of enemies ! the difference between both of us is not at all great ; if thou art cold towards us, we too are perfectly indifferent towards you.

XXV.

Notes and Explanation—अभुक्तायां—Construe यस्यां क्षणमपि अभुक्तायां (सत्यां) नृपशतैः न यातम्. क्षणमपि—क्षणं is an accusative of time. नृपशतैः goes with both अभुक्तायां and यातं as an agent. For the construction नृपशतैः न यातं see note on भ्रान्तं St. 5. *supra*. क इव=को वा see note Niti : St. 32. तद्व०—तस्य (अंशस्य) अवयव-लेशः, तस्मिन्. The locative may be accounted for by *Pāṇi* : II. iii. 39. 636

विषादे कर्तव्ये=Instead of being sorry. Mr. Telang here remarks “for having so little” they should have grieved, but it would be better to take as Mr. Kale has done “they should have chiefly grieved for being the lords of भुक्तोच्छिष्टा पृथ्वी. We would further add that they should have grieved also for the transitory or ephemeral enjoyment of the earth. प्रत्युत=On the contrary. मुदम्—Delight.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—What extraordinary glory is it to kings in gaining (becoming possessors of) that earth, which was not left unenjoyed even for a moment by hundreds of kings : the senseless owners of a particle (as it were) of a part of a portion of its portion, instead of grieving (over the insignificance of the transitory possession already enjoyed by others and thus lost its newness) are, on the contrary, delighted !!

XXVI.

Notes and Explanation—मृत्पिण्डः=A lump or a sod of clay. जलरेखया=By a streak of water. वलयितः=Encircled, engirt. सर्वोऽप्ययं बन्वणुः=Even this whole is a particle (insignificantly small). भागीकृत्य=Having partitioned—seems to us to give a greater force to the sense than अङ्गीकृत्य. संयुगशतैः=By hundreds of battles. राक्षां गणा भुञ्जते—This reading with the ‘active’ form of भुज् has been adopted instead of गणैर्भुज्यते, to preserve symmetry. For भुञ्जते see note on same, St. 23 *supra*. The last two lines have been translated by Mr. Telang—“ Therefore these very poor insignificant people might or might not give anything. [There is nothing wonderful in that.] But fie on those &c. ”. धनकणं=Particle of wealth—may be taken to signify ‘ a piece of coin. ’

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—(This earth is but) a lump of clay surrounded by a streak of water: the whole of it is extremely small; (but) a number of kings parcel it out after fighting hundreds of battles over it and enjoy it. These very insignificant and poor fellows might or might not give anything. But fie on those miserable wretches who yearn for a piece of coin from them.

XXVII.

Notes and Explanation—विटः=Flatterers, sycophants, panderers. In dramas, विट is the companion of a prince or a dissolute young man or of a courtesan. He is described as being skilled in the arts of singing, music, and poetry and as a parasite on familiar terms with his associate to whom he nearly serves the purpose of the Vidûshaka ; for definition, see Sahi. Darp. 78. गायनाः=Singers. The कृत् affix ण्युट् (भन) is added to the

root गै in the active sense; *Pāṇini* III. i. 147. **परद्रोह**—परेषां
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द्रोहे निबद्धा बुद्धियै, ते. **द्रोह**=Malice, injury.

Mr. Telang quotes here a parallel passage from Juvenal:—

“ What’s Rome to me, what business have I there ?

I who can neither lie, nor falsely swear,

Nor praise my patron’s undeserving rhymes.”

के नाम—See note on **को वा Niti** : Stanza 33.

Metre—**वैतालीय**.

Translation—We are neither actors, nor sycophants, nor singers, nor are we those who have fixed their minds on injuring others, nor are we beautiful women bent under the weight of (their) bosoms : of what value then are we in a royal household ?

XXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—**विद्वत्ता**—Learning. **उपशमवतां**—**उपशमः** (शान्तिः) अस्ति एषां, तेषाम्=of the patient, see *Niti* : St. 82. **क्लेशहतये**—**क्लेश**=Worldly troubles; **हति**=Destruction. **गता**—construe कालेन असौ विषयिणां विषयसुखसिद्धये गता. **विषयिन्**=(1) a king (2) a sensualist. In course of time it went down to be of use in the acquisition of worldly or material pleasures for kings. **शास्त्रं**—Indifferent to literature or learning. **साऽपि**—Even that i. e. after it had fallen to the position of being subservient to the acquisition of worldly pleasures. **अधोऽधः**—see note on same *Niti* : Stanza 10.

Metre—**शिखरिणी**.

Translation—Learning was once employed for the destruction of the worldly troubles of the patient; after a time it began to be used for the acquisition of material pleasures for kings: but now alas ! finding that they have become indifferent to learning, it has been going down from day to day.

XXIX.

Notes and Explanation—जातः—here equal to सफलजन्मा. He whose coming to birth is worthcounting. Cf. स जातो केन जातेन याति वंशः समुन्नतिम् Niti: St. 32. कोऽपि = Indescribable, some great person; see note on किमपि Niti: St. 16. मूर्ध्नि—on the head. Loc: sing. of मूर्धन्. उच्चैः=With great regard; on high. विनिहितं=Placed. अलं०—For decoration. It has been a popular belief that Shiva places on his head the skulls of only those who are truthful, brave or who may have fallen on a battlefield, whence one of his names is कपाली, कपालमाली, कपालभृत्. Cf. कपालि वा स्यादथवेन्दुशेखरं (वपुः) Kumār. V. 78. चूडापीडकपालसंकुलगलन्मन्दाकिर्निवारयः Mal: I. 2. प्राण०—प्रवण strongly bent on, inclined; प्राणानां प्राणे प्रवणा मतिः येषां, तैः. नमद्भिः—should be taken with नृभिः. The instrumental shows हेतु or reason. The whole phrase नृभिः नमद्भिः is as Mr. Telang says equivalent to नृणां नमनैः. अतु०—अतुल्यत्वासौ दर्पश्च, स एव ज्वरः, तस्य भरः.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—He alone is a great person whose white skull is placed high on the head as an ornament by the enemy of the God of Love (Shiva) : and yet lo ! what amount of immeasurable feverish pride (do we behold) in men to whom a few persons engrossed in the preservation of their lives, bend low.

XXX.

Notes and Explanation—अर्थानाम्=of wealth. The genitive according to अधीगर्धदयेशां कर्मणि Pānini II. iii. 52. Words

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implying remembrance and the roots दय् and ईष् govern the genitive of the object. वयं—The plural is used here as well as in the second line (नः) instead of the singular, to show

the high position of the speaker. Cf. वयमपि भवत्यौ सखीगतं किमपि पृच्छामः *Sha. I.* यावदर्थ—This reading is preferable to यावदित्यम्. यावदर्थम्=यावानर्थः तावत्. The word अर्थ has a double sense in this phrase—(1) wealth, (2) the meaning of words. वादिद०—विधौ—वादिनां दर्प एव ज्वरः, तस्य शमनविधौ. अक्षयम्=Inexhaustible. पादवं—पदोः भावः Dexterity, skill. मति०—For removing the impurities or irregularities in their intelligence. श्रोतुकामाः=Desirous of listening. “The infinitive with the final म् omitted is used with the words काम and मनः in the sense of ‘wishing’ or ‘desiring’ or ‘having a mind’ to do that indicated by the root”—Apte’s guide § 181. आस्था—Regard, respect. सुतरां=much more so. Comparative of सु. see note on नितरां Niti : Stanza 18.

Metre—अग्निरा.

Translation—Thou art the lord of wealth in full, we too are, of words in all their senses. Thou art brave in battle; we possess inexhaustible proficiency in subduing the pride of controvertists. The rich serve thee; there are those who are intent upon listening to me with a view to sharpen their intellect. Oh monarch! if thou hast no regard for me, much less have I for thee; here am I off.

XXXI.

Notes and Explanation—See Niti : Stanza 8.

XXXII.

Notes and Explanation—लट०—सुमगः—लटभाश्च ताः ललभाश्च ल०—ललनाः, तासां भोगेन सुमगः ल०—सुमगः. लटभ= Lovely, charming, handsome. Cf. तस्याः पादमखश्रेणिः शोभते लटभश्रुवः *Vikramānk* :

VIII. 6. लट्भी n. a lovely woman. सुभग=pleasant, agreeable. संसार०—संसारः एव सरणिः (मार्गः), तस्याम्. स्वः सिन्धोः=of the heavenly river i. e. the Ganges. See note on स्वर St. 9 *supra*. समाक्र०= Cries of invocation. सुतारैः—सुतार=Very loud; तारं च रजतेऽत्युच्च-स्वरेऽप्यन्यवदीरितम् *Vishwa*. Construe सुतारैः फुत्कारैः शिव शिव शिवेति समाक्रन्दनगिरः प्रतनुमः.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—Time, agreeable through the enjoyment of charming women has gone; we are tired of having wandered for a long time through this worldly course: now on the banks of the celestial river we send forward with heavy sighs our cries of invocation—Shiva, Shiva, Shiva.

XXXIII.

Notes and Explanation—म्लायति—The reading म्लायिनि is ungrammatical, see *Pāṇini* III. ii. 78. खण्डिते *Lit*: cut, broken
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in pieces; here it means 'destroyed'. व्यर्थ—Without obtaining any money. युक्तं=Proper, appropriate. सुधियां—शोभना धीर्येषां, सैषाम्. जन्हु०—कुञ्ज=जन्हुकन्यायाः पयसा पूताः प्रावाणः यस्मिन्, एवं-विधस्य गिरीन्द्रस्य कन्दरः, तस्य तत्रां यः कुञ्जः, तस्मिन्. जन्हुकन्या is the river Ganges. According to mythological account "the river when brought down from heaven by the austerities of Bhagiratha, was forced to flow over the earth to follow him to the lower regions. In its course it inundated the sacrificial ground of King Jahnu, who being angry drank up its waters. But the gods and sages and particularly Bhagiratha, appeased his anger and he consented to discharge those waters from his ears; the river is therefore regarded as his daughter."—*Apte's Dic*: Another account states "that Jahnu was a Rishi performing penance and the Ganges disturbed him in his concentration;

the sage stopped the course of the river by pressing it under his thigh. At Bhagiratha's entreaties, however, he let the stream flow again."—*Kāle*. See also *Niti* : St. 10. The reading कन्दरदरीकुञ्ज does not seem to give a good meaning. कन्दर and दरी are synonymous terms. दरी तु कन्दरो वा स्त्री *Amar*. Our reading avoids pleonasm and makes a better sense, since कुञ्ज i. e. a bower or a place covered over with creepers is so common on the bank of a river flowing by the side of a कन्दर or deep ravine. कचित्=somewhere; see note on कचित् *Niti* : Stanza 2.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Honour having gone, wealth having been destroyed, those importuning for relief being compelled to go without redress, relations being lessened, followers having departed, youth having faded by degrees, there is only one thing appropriate for the wise—residence somewhere in a bower on the banks in the valley of the mountain whose rocks are sanctified by the waters of the Ganges

XXXIV.

Notes and Explanation—बहु (used as an adverb modifying आराध्य)=In a variety of ways. प्रसादं नेतुं=to propitiate. It should be taken with परेषां चेतांसि. कलिलम्=A large heap, confused mass, confusion. Cf. यदा ते मोहकलिलं बुद्धिर्व्यतितरिष्यति *Bhag. Gitā*. II. 52. Mr. Telang reads कलितम् and takes it to mean बन्धन, but he himself says that it requires straining. त्वयि refers to हृदय. अन्तः goes with प्रसन्ने. स्वयमु०—स्वयं उदिताः चिन्तामणेः गुणाः यस्मिन्, तस्मिन्. When one's mind is content i. e. when one has acquired the position of स्थितप्रज्ञ as described in the *Gitā* chap: II, he has nothing further to wish for, and therefore every desire of his can be said to have been gratified. The idea

is as follows :—Oh mind ! Instead of flattering others be thyself satisfied. Trying to please others is not independent; it is fraught with difficulties, while it is within thy own control to be content and thereby to secure the fountain of all happiness.

विमुक्तः संकल्पः &c.—Compare :—

तद्वत्कामा यं प्रविशन्ति सर्वे स शान्तिमाप्नोति न कम्मकामी ॥

विहाय कामान् यः सर्वान् पुमांश्चरति निस्पृहः ॥

निर्ममो निरङ्कारः स शान्तिमधिगच्छति ॥ *Bhag : Gitā* II. 70, 71.

यदा सर्वे प्रमुच्यन्ते कामा ये ऽस्य हृदि स्थिताः ॥

अथ मर्त्योऽमृतो भवत्यब्रह्म समश्नुते. *Shruti.*

(कामाः=संकल्पाः *Bhāṣya.*) Also see St. 16 *supra.* संकल्प="the workings of the mind." *Telang.*

Alankāra—परिकरः *Metre*—शिखरिणी.

Translation—Alas ! my heart ! why dost thou enter into a heap of difficulties for the purpose of winning over the minds of others by propitiations in various ways from day to day. When thou art thyself inwardly pleased and the qualities of the *Chintāmani* (" the jewel which gives its possessor whatever he desires ") have sprung up in thyself, what desire of thine will remain, which (thy) tranquil condition will not be able to satisfy ?

XXXV.

Notes and Explanation—कुले = in noble birth. नृपालात्-नृन् पालयतीति नृपालः, तस्मात्. माने दैन्यभयं is a better reading than मौने दैन्यभयं as Mr. Telang observes. He explains it—' In (case of silence) there is the danger of being (considered) spiritless'; but remarks rightly that 'there is a break in the symmetry', since in all the other cases except मौने दैन्यभयं, one good thing is placed in juxtaposition with one evil result,

while मोन is itself as Mr. Kāle takes it, a blemish apparently: but so far as we can see मौन (reticence) is not a fault in वैराग्य but a desirable quality. We would therefore say that it is inappropriate to link reticence with other material things so opposed to asceticism. बले—बल may be either prowess or army. नृणाम्—The word नृ has two forms in the genitive, either नृणाम् or नृणाम् by the special rule नृ ऋ Pāṇi : VI. iii. 6, 283. The Sloka as heard from the mouths of some Hārḍāsas and others is read as:—

भोगे रोगभयं सुखे क्षयभवं वित्तेषु भूधृद्भयं
दासे स्वाभिभयं जये रिपुभयं वंशे कुयोषिद्भयं ॥
माने म्लानिभयं गुणे खलभयं काये कृतान्ताद्भयं
सर्वं नाम भयास्पदं भवतो विष्णोः पदं निर्भयम् ॥

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—In enjoyment there is fear of disease, in noble birth there is fear of a fall, in wealth one has fear from the king; in self-respect there is fear of misery, an army has fear from the enemy, beauty is exposed to danger from old age, learning has to fear controversy, merit has to fear the wicked, and the body is exposed to danger from the god of death. Every material object in this world is surrounded with danger, asceticism alone is free from all danger.

XXXVI.

Notes and Explanation—तुलि०—विसिन्याः (कमलिन्याः) पत्रेषु पयः; तुलितं वि०—पयः येषां, तेषाम्. Cf. नलिनीदलगतजलवत्तरलं किं यौवनं धनं चायुः Pra : R. कृते goes with प्राणानाम्. विग०—विगलितः विवेकः येषां, तैः. व्यवसितं=कृतं. यत्=यस्मात्. आकृत्यानामग्रे—Before the rich. द्रवि०—द्रविणस्य मदेन निःसंज्ञं मनो येषां, तेषाम्. निःसंज्ञं = senseless. वीतव्रीडैः—वीता (गता) व्रीडा (लजा) येषां,

तैः. निज०-पातकं—one's own praise is looked upon as a very bad action amounting to sin. इन्द्रोऽपि लघुतां याति स्वयं प्रख्यापितै-
र्गुणैः *Subha. See Niti* : Stanzas 64, 69, 77.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—What has not been done by us who have been destitute of discernment, for the sake of our life which is as unstable as water on the lotus-leaf. Shameless that we are, we have even committed the sin of boasting our own qualifications before those rich persons whose minds are senseless through the intoxicating power of wealth.

XXXVII.

Notes and Explanation—सा रम्या—is a mistake committed by the P. D.; it ought to be रम्या सा. Mr. Telang reads भ्रातः कष्टमहो, but our reading gives an effective continuity of thought, beginning with the recollection of the grandeur of the town seen. The pronoun तद् has been used throughout the stanza in the sense of 'that well-known,' 'familiar.' सामन्तचक्रं—The circle of tributary princes. समन्त= border. समन्ते भवः सामन्तः=A frontier king, a tributary or feudatory prince. विद०—Mr. Telang has राजपरिषत् but it is tautology since सामन्तचक्रं has been already spoken of, hence विदग्धपरिषत् (the assemblage of the learned) would be more appropriate. चन्द्र०=women with faces like the moon. उद्विक्तः—*p. p.* of रिच् with उत्-haughty. राजपु०—the group of princes. अगात्स्मृतिपथं = resigned only to remembrance ; "matter of history".

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—That charming city, that powerful monarch, the circle of feudatory princes, the assemblage of the learned at his side, the moon-faced women, the group of haughty

princes, the bards and the conversations have become the subject of mere recollection through Time. Our homage, therefore, to father Time.

XXXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—अपगताः—Went away, died'. Mr. Telang's reading is परिगताः, but it is not a very common expression in the sense of 'passed away.' स्मृति०—स्मृतिविषयः= The object of memory. गमिताः causal *p. p.* from गम्; of course कालेन should be supplied. Mr. Telang takes it as an instance of स्वार्थे णिच् but if कालेन were supplied, it makes very good sense. इदानीं=now. आसन्नपतनाः—आसन्नं पतनं येषां ते. Some read पतनात्, but the nominative has been retained to bring out the comparison vividly. सिकति०—सिकतिलं=(सिकता+इलच्) सिकताः सन्त्यग्र Sandy. देशे लुबिलचौ च *Pānini* V. ii. 105. 1912. सिकतिलं च तत् नदीतीरं च, तस्मिन् तरवः, तैः. For the instrumental, see *Pānini* II. iii. 72. 630

Alankāra—उपमा. Metre—शिक्षरिणी.

Translation—Those from whom we were born have long since left us: those with whom we were brought up have become objects of mere recollection: now here we are with our fall approaching near day by day, which has made our condition comparable with that of trees on the sandy bank of a river.

XXXIX.

Notes and Explanation—अनेके—The word itself (अन्+एक) shows plurality, hence the reading अनेके as opposed to एक: in the same line. गृह—गृह is used here in a double sense

(1) the house (2) the square on the board of a game (here a diceboard). तदनु=after that, afterwards. Cf. संदेश मे तदनु जलद् श्रोष्यसि श्रोत्रपेयम् Megh. 13. नैकोऽपि—Mr. Telang reads न वैकः, but अपि added to एकः gives a greater force to the expression. इमौ—प्रसिद्धौ Well-known. अक्षौ—A pair of dice. कालः काल्या &c.—The two words काल and काली are used here, as Mr. Telang says, to signify the male and female personifications of the Destructive Principle ; काल and काली may be taken to mean Māhādev and Pārvati whose game at dice is described in many places in the Purānas. It is too familiar an idea to Hindu mind to need any further information than a mere reference. भुवनफलके—on the earth used as a diceboard. फलक= A diceboard. भुवनं एव फलकं तस्मिन्. The adoption of this word makes the figure complete. प्राणिसारैः—सार (generally written शार)=The piece in a dice-play. प्राणिनः एव साराः तैः.

Alankāra—उपमा. Metre—मन्दाक्रान्ता.

*Translation—*In a certain house where at one time there were many there is now only one ; where there was one, came in many after a time and in the end there remained not a single one. Thus do Kāla and Kali play a game in this world (which they use) as a diceboard with the living beings as the pieces tossing night and day as if they were the dice.

XL.

Notes and Explanation—तपस्यन्तः = तपश्चरन्तः Practising penance. The affix क्यङ् is added to तप् in the sense of आचरण by the sutra कर्मणो रोमन्यतपोभ्यां वर्तिचरोः Pānini III. i. 15. सूरन-

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दीमधिनिवसामः—The root वस् with अधि governs the accusative. उपान्वध्याद् वसः Pānini I. iii. 48. where, however, the नि

which intervenes here between अधि and वसामः is not mentioned among the enumerated prepositions. Krishna Shastree takes अधि and निवसामः separately अधि going with सुरनदी, but gives no authority for such a construction. He comments thus:—
 “सुरनदी भागीरथी अधि तत्तीर इति यावत् निवसामो वासं कुर्मः किम्.”
 शुणो०—गुणैः उदाराः, तान्. वारान्—दार (mas : and always in the plural) a wife. शास्त्रौघान्—The several branches of learning.
 विवि०—विविधानि कान्धान्येवासुतरसाः, तान्. Some take this as an adjective to शास्त्रौघान् but it does not make a happy sense. Taken separately by itself, it gives a better meaning. न विद्मः किं कुर्मः=“ We do not know what we *should* do.” कति०—कति पयाः निमेषाः आयुः यस्य, तस्मिन्.

Alankāra—विकल्प. *Metre*—शिखरिणी.

Translation—Shall we reside on the (banks) of the celestial river in a life of penance ? or shall we honourably remain with our noble and virtuous wife ? or shall we drink deep of the various currents of philosophical thoughts or of the sweet flow of poetics ? We do not know what to do, since the life of man is no more than a few twinklings of the eye.

XLI.

Notes and Explanation—हिमगि०—हिमगिरेः शिलायां बद्धं पद्मासनं येन, तस्य. पद्मासन is a certain posture in religious meditation. It is described ऊरुमूले वामपादं पुनस्तु दक्षिणं पदम् ॥ वामोरौ स्थापयित्वा तु पद्मासनमिति स्मृतम्. ॥ ब्रह्मध्या०—ब्रह्मध्यानस्य अभ्यसनं (अभ्यासः); तस्य विधिः, तेन. योगनिद्रां—योगः concentration of the mind. योगश्चित्तवृत्तिनिरोधः *Patanjali*. योगः एव निद्रेश्च निद्रा—The sleep of concentration in which the योगी is just as if dead to the external world during the time of his meditation. किं तैर्भाव्यम्= will they ever be ? यत्र refers to सुदिवंस. In the last line the

reading in Mr. Telang's edition is *संप्राप्स्यन्ते* which requires some words meaning 'from me' or a similar expression. कण्डू-यन्ते=(A denominative from कण्डू) Rub gently.

Metre—मन्दाक्रान्ता.

Translation—Have I a prospect of those happy days when on the bank of the Ganges, I may put myself in the *Padma* posture on a stone-slab in the snowy mountain, and fall into an unconsciousness resulting from a constant contemplation of Bramha, when the old antelopes growing fearless of me will rub their horns gently against my body ?

XLII.

Notes and Explanation—स्फुरत्स्फा०—स्फुरत् shining; स्फार= Expanded, abundant; see Niti: 108. स्फुरन्ती स्फारा या ज्योत्स्ना, तथा धवलितं तलं यस्य, तस्मिन्. कापि—See note on कश्चित् Niti: St. 2. सुखासीनाः—सुखेन आसीनाः. घुसरितः=on the heavenly river i. e. the Ganges: goes with पुलिने. भवामा०—भव=life. आभोगः=(1) Extent, expansion. Cf. गगनाभोगसुभगां St. 57 *infra*. (2) आभोगः= आसमन्ताद्भोगः Excessive enjoyment. Cf. विषयाभोगेषु नैवादरः *Shantilakshana*. शमसुखाभोगैकबद्धस्पृहः Stanza 86 *infra*. In the first case, भवानां (जन्मनां) आभोगेन उद्विग्नाः and in the second भवस्य आभोगेन उद्विग्नाः. उच्चवचसा—makes a better sense than आर्तवचसः. Mr. Kāle takes आर्तवचसः and explains it as आर्तं (गृहीतं) वचः यैः, ते. आनन्दो०—वाष्पाप्लुत dimmed by tears. आनन्देन उद्विगतानि यानि बहुलानि वाष्पाणि, तैः आप्लुते दृशौ येषां, ते.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—When shall we, sitting at peace during still nights, somewhere on the sandy bank of the celestial river, the surface of which (bank) has been made shining by refulgent

moonlight, have our eyes bedimmed with copious tears of joy by crying out Shiva, Shiva, Shiva in consequence of our being wearied of the troubles of this world ?

XLIII.

Notes and Explanativn—अमरसरित्—The heavenly river, the Ganges. ता एव=प्रसिद्धाः well-known. हरितः=The quarters, directions. दिशस्तु कुबुभः काष्ठा आशाश्च हरितश्च ताः Amar. वा — ‘ I can give no account of वा unless it is उपमायाम् ’ says Mr. Telang. But we take it in the sense of एव. So कालो वा=काल एव. Compare the expressions गुहा एव, ताः हरितः एव; or it may be taken in the sense of समुच्चय as well as, also &c. Cf. पत्रलेखे कथय महाश्वेतायाः कादम्बर्याश्च कुशलं कुशलो वा सकलः परिजन इति Kādam. वा समुच्चय एवार्थ उपमानविकल्पयोः Hema. अदैन्यं—अदैन्य=freedom from humiliation, not appealing to others for help &c. Construe इदं व्रतं अदैन्यव्रतं भवति where इदं refers to all the previous statements, or अदैन्यव्रतं—इदं व्रतं=न विद्यते दैन्यं याचनारूपं यस्मिन् एतादृशं यत् व्रतं तदिदमेव नः व्रतं (नियमः). इति कियद्वा वक्ष्यामः—In this way how much more need we say : i. e. in fine, in short. वटविटपं—दयिता refers to the गृहस्थाश्रम since गृहिणी गृहमुच्यते. The phrase means ‘ Let the Vata tree be my home, sitting under which I may meditate on Shiva, renouncing all the pleasures of the world ’.

Metre—शिवरिणी.

Translation—Mahādeva is the God, the celestial river the only stream of water (for me), a cavern (my) dwelling place, the quarters my covering, father Time my friend : this rule of life is free from all humiliation. Let the Vata tree be my beloved companion ; what more need we say ?

XLIV.

Notes and Explanation—See Nitishataka Stanza 10.

XLV.

Notes and Explanation—मनोर०—मनोरथा एव जलानि यस्यां सा.

तृष्णा०—तृष्णा एव तरंगाः, तैः आकुला (व्याप्ता). रागग्राह०—
रागाः=अनुरागाः; 'रञ्जयन्ति स्वभावान्तरं प्रापयन्ति ते रागाः कामक्रोधा-
दयः' *Rámarshi*. ग्राह=A crocodile. रागा एव ग्राहाः सन्ति अस्यां सा.

वितर्क०—वितर्का एव विहगाः यस्यां सा. वितर्क=Fancy, doubts. "The
banks of rivers are often spoken of as thronged by birds.

Com: ऋतुसंहार. (शरत्) St. 28 " *Telang*. धैर्यद्रु०—धैर्यमेव द्रुमाः,

तेषां ध्वंसिनी. मोहा०—दुःखेन तीर्यते सा दुस्तरा; सुतरां दुस्तरा सुदु-
स्तरा; मोहा एव आवर्ताः, तैः सुदुस्तरा. आवर्त = An eddy or a whirl-

pool. अतिगहना Very deep. प्रोत्तुं०—प्रकर्षेण उत्तुंगा (उन्नता)
प्रोत्तुंगा; प्रोत्तुंगा चासौ चिन्ता च, सैव तटी (bank) यस्याः सा. This
ought to be प्रोत्तुं०—तटीका by *Pánini* V. iii. 153, but as it stands,
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we can reconcile it by the *Paribhāsha* समासान्तविधिरनिलः.

Alankāra—रूपक. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Desire is verily a river which has men's
plans for its waters and which is agitated by the waves of
greediness; it has passions to take the place of crocodiles,
doubts are its birds, it is the leveller of the trees of firmness;
being full of eddies in the shape of infatuation it is very diffi-
cult to be crossed, it is very deep and has anxiety for its steep
banks. Happy are the pure-hearted ascetics who have success-
fully crossed this river.

XLVI.

Notes and Explanation—आसंसारं = संसारं मर्यादीकृत्य, संसारं
यावत्. चिन्वतां—*gen*: plural of चिन्वत् searching. तात—A

term of endearment, pity or respect. *Com* : न हि कल्याणकृत् कश्चि-
 दुर्गतिं तात गच्छति *Gītā* VI. 40. नयनपद्वी—*the range of sight*.
 नयन, -पदवी, -पथ, -गोचर, -वर्त्म, -विषय &c. are the usual expressions
 in Sanskrit. विषयकरि०—गाढं यया तथा रूढः deep-rooted; क्षीब
 (also क्षीव) intoxicated, excited. विषय एव करिणी (she-elephant),
 तस्यां गाढरूढः यः अभिमानः, तेन क्षीबस्य. Mr. Telang has गाढगूढ
 instead of गाढरूढ, where गूढ means secret. अन्तःक०—अन्तःकरण-
 मेव करी (an elephant), तस्य. संय०—संयमः (1) control over
 the senses or passions, or (2) concentration of the mind. आलान=
 The post to which an elephant is tied. *com* : आलाने गृह्यते ह-
 स्ती *Mrich* : I. 50. संयमः एव आलानं, तस्य लीलाम्. The mind is
 here spoken of as an elephant, the sensual objects as the female
 elephant, and संयम or restraint as the tying post. The attach-
 ment of the elephant to his mate is well-known.

Alankāra—रूपक. *Metre*—मन्दाक्रान्ता.

Translation—Oh friend ! while searching the three worlds
 during a lifetime, none has come within the range of our eye-
 sight or within hearing, who can readily be the tying post in
 the shape of self-restraint for his own mind which resembles an
 elephant intoxicated by the deep-rooted attachment for the
 female elephant in the shape of sensual objects.

XLVII.

Notes and Explanation—धन०—धनपतेः पुरः या प्रार्थना (या-
 चना), तस्याः दुःखं भजतीति धन०—भाक्, तस्य. Mr. Kāle reads दुःख-
 दीर्घाः, but the idea of दीर्घत्व is already included in वर्धन्ते; hence
 the reading दुःखभाजः is to be preferred as furnishing the idea
 opposed to विषयाक्षेपपर्यस्तनुदेः in the second line. Mark the con-
 trast between वर्धन्ते and अल्पत्वं दधति; धन०—दुःखभाजः and विष०—
 नुदेः. विष०—आक्षेप=Allurement, distraction. पर्यस्त (परि+अस्त)=

thrown about, scattered about, distracted, "disordered". विषयाणां आक्षेपेण पर्यस्ता बुद्धिः यस्य=To one whose mind is distracted by the allurements of worldly objects. Krishna Shāstree explains विषयैः कृत्वा यः आक्षेपः भर्त्सनं, तेन पर्यस्ता विपरीता बुद्धिर्यस्य. अन्तः०—अन्तः स्फुरितं हसितं यस्मिन् कर्मणि यथा स्यात्तथा an Aavya. compound. वासराणां—for the genitive see note on अर्थानां Stanza 30 *supra*. ध्यानच्छेदे—(1) During the intervals of meditation (2) At the end of meditation. शिख०—शिखरिन्=A mountain, कुहर A cavern, a hollow. कुहरं गच्छरे छिद्रे Medinī. शिखरिणः कुहरे यः प्रावा (stone), स एव शय्या, तस्यां निषण्णः. We give the idea of the verse in Mr. Telang's words—"The suppliant of the rich thinks the days too long as he has to suffer the trouble of constant entreaties often unsuccessful; the person engaged in the pursuit of worldly objects thinks time too short, he has never enough of it to compass all his numerous ends. On the other hand the philosopher laughs at both for their delusions".

Metre—मन्दाक्रान्ता.

Translation—Seated on a stone in the hollow of a mountain, may I expect to recollect with a smile to myself, during the intervals of contemplation, those days which appear to be long to one suffering the troubles of supplicating before the rich, but which, however, are felt to be short by one whose mind is distracted by the temptations of worldly objects.

XLVIII.

Notes and Explanation—विद्या—See note St. 13 and 101 Nitiः. कलंकरहिता=Spotless, pure. शुश्रूषा—primarily means 'desire to hear' and secondarily 'service, attendance'. समाहितेन—समाहितं=सम्यक् आहितं concentrated, devoted. पित्रोः—an instance of एकशेषद्वन्द्व. माता च पिता च पितरौ (also मातापितरौ),

तयोः. परपि०—परपिण्ड food from others. For the idea of the 3rd line, compare the third line of the 11th Stanza and for that of the fourth, Com: भुक्तं मानविवर्जितं परगृहेष्वाशंकया काक-
वत् Stanza 5 *supra*.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Spotless knowledge has not been acquired; wealth has not been amassed, service was not done even to parents with a devoted mind, damsels with sparkling eyes were not embraced even in a dream. All this time has been passed by us like crows yearning to snatch food meant for others.

XLIX.

Notes and Explanation—वितीर्णे—सर्वस्वे वितीर्णे सति = After the whole property has been given away. तरु०—तरुण tender, newly developed. विगु०—विगुणः (adverse) परिणामः यासां ताः. विधिगतीः—The courses of fate *i. e.* the circumstances brought about by fate. परिणत०—परिणत fully-developed, full, perfect. परिणतस्य शरच्चन्द्रस्य किरणाः यस्यां; or परिणताः शरच्चन्द्रस्य किरणाः यस्यां, ताम्. Mr. Telang reads चन्द्रकिरणैः where the instrumental is not easy to explain, which he takes to mean 'in the company of', but चन्द्रकिरणां त्रियामाम् makes a better sense. Com: शरच्चन्द्रज्यो-
त्स्नाधवलगगनाभोगसुभगाम् Stanza 57 *infra*. त्रियामा = the night. "याम is a *prahara* and the night is considered to consist of only three *praharás* or watches, the first and the last half *prahara* being excluded" *Apte*. हरच्च०—हरस्य चरणयोः यत् चित्तं, तदेव एकं शरणं (रक्षितृ) येषां ते । शरणं गृहरक्षित्रोः *Amar*. Perhaps ०चिन्तै-
कशरणाः would be better and easier. Cf. St. 57 *infra*.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Our hearts being stirred with tender compas-
sion, every belonging of ours' being given away, we, who have set

our mind on the feet of Hara as the only refuge, bringing to mind the course of destiny which has an adverse ending in this world, shall pass in a holy forest the night which beams with the full autumnal moon.

L.

Notes and Explanation—**दुकूलैः**—दुकूल=A silk garment, a very fine garment in general. **दुकूलैः** is a better reading than **च लक्ष्म्या**, as it contrasts more vividly with **वल्कलैः**. **निर्विशेषो विशेषः**—विशेषः difference, distinction. **निर्विशेषः** (**आधिक्यरहितः**, **भेदरहितः**) without any importance, distinctive character, or difference. **मनसि च &c. Comp.** " Poor but content is rich and rich enough " *Shakespeare*.

Metre—मालिनी.

Translation—Here we are satisfied with barks of trees, while you with fine fabrics; the satisfaction is equal, while the other difference is of no importance. He may be (called) poor whose ambition is boundless; the mind being content who is rich and who is poor ?

LI.

Notes and Explanation—**अकार्पण्यं**—कृपणस्य भावः कार्पण्यं=दैन्यं, न विद्यते कार्पण्यं यस्मिन् तत्. This goes with अशनम्. For कार्पण्य, see कृपणां वृत्तिं Niti: St. 49. **आर्यैः संवासः** company of the good. **भुतं** Learning. **उप०**—उपशम peace of mind, controlling of the passions. व्रतं rule. उपशमः एव एकं मुख्यं व्रतं, तदेव फलं यस्य तत्. **मन्दस्पन्दं**—मन्दः स्पन्दः (चलनं) यस्य तत् ; बहिः=towards external objects. अपि should be taken with मनः. मनोऽपि बहिः मन्दस्पन्दं=

The mind too, moving (but) slowly towards external objects.
परिणति: result.

Metre—शिवरिणी.

Translation—This rambling about without any restraint, this food without any humiliation, the company of the noble, this learning having for its result the rule of controlling the passions, the mind moving (but) very slowly towards external objects. I have pondered over this for a long time but I do not know to what grand penance is this condition to be ascribed.

LII.

Notes and Explanation—ब्रमण०—ब्रमणेन परिगतं=ब्राह्मं (very rarely used in this sense). भैक्षम्=भिक्षाणां समूहः. भिक्षा+ The affix अण् (अ) in the sense of समूह. भिक्षादिभ्योऽण् *Pāni*: IV ii. 38. 1244

अक्षय्यं—क्षेतुं शक्यं क्षय्यं, न क्षय्यं अक्षय्यं. See *Pāninī* VI. i. 81. 65

आशा०—आशा: quarters. दशकं=दशानां समूहः. In the reading आशासुदशकं the सु is redundant. तल्पं = Bed ; उर्वी = The earth (fem. : from उरु=great). For the idea of these two lines compare :—सत्यां क्षितौ किं कशिपोः प्रयासैर्बाहौ स्वसिद्धे सुपर्वणैः किम् ॥ सत्यञ्जलौ किं पुरुषान्नपात्र्या दिग्वत्कल्यदौ सति किं दुक्लैः ॥ *Bhāgwat*, Sk.II.

निःसंग०—निःसंगता renouncement of or indifference to all worldly attachments. निःसंगतायामन्तःकरणस्य परिणतिः=The development of the mind in renouncing worldly attachments. This, however, destroys symmetry ; we must, therefore, take निःसंगता and अन्तःकरणपरिणतिः separately. The construction now would be येषां अन्तःकरणपरिणतिः निःसंगता. i. e. the last stage or the result of whose mind (thoughts) is निःसंगता. The reading निःसंगताङ्गीकरण as one word, breaks symmetry, as we have a separate subject and predicate in each of the previous expressions ; besides it

requires some straining. स्वात्म०—स्वात्मनि संतोषः अस्ति एषां ते.
 संन्यस्त०—संन्यस्त abandoned. व्यतिकर (1) contact or (2) calamity, misfortune. अथ व्यतिकरः पुंसि व्यसनव्यतिषङ्गयोः *Medinī*;
 निकर collection. संन्यस्ताः दैन्यस्य व्यतिकराणां निकराः यैस्ते.

Metre—स्रग्धरा.

Translation—The hand for a clean vessel, alms acquired by wandering and begging for an inexhaustible supply of food, the ten quarters (the expanse of the sky) serving as a large and clean garment, the earth for a spacious couch. Those fortunate persons who are satisfied with the above, the result of whose contemplation is renunciation, who are contented with themselves, and who have cast away a number of difficulties of humiliation—root out *Karma*.

LXII.

Notes and Explanation—अमी—प्रसिद्धाः. Mr. Telang has दुरारुध्यः स्वामी. Service is to be performed towards kings (क्षिति-भुजः); the word स्वामी then becomes no more but a repetition. Besides दुरारुध्याः and तुरग०—चित्ताः can be appropriately placed in opposition to स्थूलेच्छाः and मद्—मनसः. तुरग०—चल, when taken in the sense of ' moving ' explains the phrase, and will be easily comprehended by bringing to mind a spirited and well-fed horse held by the halter. He never remains in one and the same position for a minute; in fact that is the characteristic of the animal. The phrase means nothing more than—'whose minds are in constant restlessness like a spirited horse'. Construe the third line जरा देहं हरति, मृत्युः सकलमिदं जीवितं हरति. अन्यत्र तपसः—तपसः अन्यत्र=तपसः विना. The word अन्यत्र can be dispensed with, since we have अन्यत्. Words meaning 'other than' 'different from' such as अन्य, पर, इतर &c. are used with the ablative; see *Pāṇini* II. iii. 29.

Metre—शिक्षरिणी.

Translation—Princes whose minds are as restless as horses, are difficult to please: while we have great desires and our minds are set upon a lofty goal. Old age consumes our body, while death puts an end to our very existence. Oh friend! in this world there is nothing else but penance that will lead to the happiness of a wise man.

LIV.

Notes and Explanation—मेघवि०—वितान = Expansion, an awning, a canopy. वितानो यज्ञ उल्लोचे विस्तारे पुंनपुसकं *Medinī*. or a collection, see *Kirāta* XVII. 61. सौदामिनी (also सौदामनी or सौ-दाम्नी), lightening. सुदामन्+अण्. सुदाम्ना अद्रिणा एकदिक्, सुदाम्नि मेघे वा भवा सौदामिनी । सुदामा तु पुमान् वारिधरपर्वतभेदयोः *Kośha*. मेघानां वि-तानस्य मध्ये विलसन्ती या सौदामिनी, सेव चञ्चलाः. वायु०—विघटित scattered. अभ्रपटली a small collection of clouds. पटलं=समूहः. अल्पं पटलं पटली. Some words are used in feminine to convey the diminutive sense, as मृणाली, कुंभी, कपाली, पटी, मठी &c. स्त्री स्यात्काचिन्मृणाल्यादिर्विवक्षाऽपचये यदि *Amar*. वायुना विघटिता या अभ्रप-टली, तस्यां लीनं यदम्बु, तद्वत्. भङ्गुरं—frail; from भञ्ज्+घुरच् (उर).

भञ्जभासमिदो घुरच् *Pāninī* III. ii. 161 . यौवनलालना the indul-

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gence of youth, youthful happiness. Some read यौ०—लालसा where it means the ardent desire or vehemence of youth.

योगे—the usually accepted definition of योग is चित्तवृत्तिनिरोध *i. e.* controlling the functions of the mind and thus concentrating it, whereby the human soul is completely united with the Supreme Spirit and absolution secured. धैर्य०—धैर्य patience, courage. समाधि perfect absorption of thought into one object of meditation *i. e.* Supreme Spirit. There are eight Angās or stages of Yoga among which Samādhi is the last. They are यमनियमासनप्राणायामप्रत्याहारधारणाध्यानसमाधयोऽष्टावङ्गानि *Patanjali*.

The last three of these are thus defined:—देशबन्धश्चित्तस्य धारणा । तत्रप्रत्ययैकतानता ध्यानम् । तदेवार्थमात्रनिर्भासं स्वरूपशून्यमिव समाधिः *Patanj.* धैर्येण या समाधिसिद्धिः, तथा सुलभे. In order to reach the last stage of योग *i. e.* Samádhi, one is required to have very strong courage to overcome obstacles (*viz.* व्याधिस्त्यानसंशयप्रमादालस्याविरतिभ्रान्ति०—तेऽन्तरायाः *Patanjali.*) that come in the way of meditation. Really speaking the mention of समाधिसिद्धि does include धैर्य &c. and hence the word धैर्य appears to be superfluous. Some dissolve the compound as धैर्यं च समाधिश्च, ताभ्यां या सिद्धिः but this does not seem to be a very happy solution of it. Some others read ध्येयसमाधि, which avoids the difficulty. बुद्धिं विधुः=मतिं कुरुध्वं fix your minds on. For the idea of the first three lines compare रायः कलत्रं पशवः सुतादयो गृहा महीकुञ्जरकोशभूतयः ॥ सर्वेऽर्थकामाः क्षणभङ्गुरावुषः कुर्वन्ति मर्त्यस्य कियत्प्रियं चल्नः ॥ *Bhóg. Sk.* VII.

Alankāra—उपमा & काव्यलिङ्ग. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Pleasures are as fleeting as the flashes of lightening in a bank of clouds, life is as transitory as the water in a small collection of clouds scattered by the winds, the youthful ardour of mortals is ephemeral. Oh wise men, fully realise this and fix your minds at once on concentration which can be easily secured by a firm meditation of the Supreme Spirit.

(LV.)

Notes and Explanation—सितपटच्छ०—पाली or पालिः the edge. सितेन पटेन छन्ना पाली यस्याः, ताम्. कपालीं—कपालं=घटशकलं. अल्पं कपालं कपाली, ताम्. कपालोऽस्त्री शिरोस्त्रिं स्याद्वटादं शकले व्रजे *Mediní.* For the diminutive sense, see पटली *St.* 54 *supra.* न्यायगर्भ०—न्यायः गर्भे येषां, एवंविधाः ये द्विजाः, तैः हुतः यः हुतभुक्, तस्य धूमेन धूम्नं उपकण्ठं (अन्तिकभागः) यस्य, तत् (द्वारम्). न्यायगर्भ is a rather

curious expression. नयन्ति परमं पदं प्रापयन्ति विवेकेनेति न्यायाः श्रुति-
शास्त्रस्मृत्यादयः, ते गर्भे चित्ते येषां ते न्यायगर्भाः वेदादेविदः *Rámarshi*.
Mallináth commenting on Kumar II. 12 explains न्याय as the
स्वर used in uttering the Vedás, according to which Mr. Telang
translates न्यायगर्भाः द्विजाः as Bráhmins having within them *i. e.*
their mouths the Vedic accents. This appears to us rather far-
fetched. We take न्याय to mean nothing more than 'the real
way or system in which one is to perform sacrifice—the ritual'.
न्यायगर्भाः द्विजाः would thus mean विधिज्ञाः द्विजाः Bráhmins know-
ing the ritual. धूम्न of a smoky colour. द्वारं द्वारं प्रवृत्तः=going
from door to door. वरं—see note on same Niti: 14. उदर०—
उदरमेव दरी, तस्याः पूरणाय. स्वदेशे—Mr. Telang reads here स
धन्यो but our reading gives a greater force to the expression as
न पुनः स्वदेशे तुल्यकुल्येषु दीनः. Com: Maráthi परदेशीं भिक्षा स्वदेशीं
चोरी. तुल्य०—तुल्य equal in age. कुल्याः=कुल+यत् (य)–(1) कुले
भवाः or (2) मान्याः respectable. तुल्याश्च ते कुल्याश्च, तेषु.

Metre—अगधरा.

Translation—A man with self-respect when tortured by
hunger would rather, for the sake of filling the cavity of the
stomach, wander about a large forest, or with a broken pot
whose edge is covered with a white piece of cloth, go about in
a holy city from door to door the sills of which have been
darkened by smoke arising from the fire into which oblations
have been thrown by Bráhmins versed in the rituals, but will
never be a constant suppliant among his equals in his own
country.

LVI.

Notes and Explanation—तत्त्ववि०—तत्त्व reality, true nature
of things ; विवेक discrimination, discernment ; पेशल clever, skilled,

sharp. तत्त्वस्व विवेके पेशला मतिर्यस्य सः=He whose intellect is keen in distinguishing between the visible world and the invisible spirit, or separating reality from mere semblance or illusion.

इति=as described in the first two lines. उत्पन्नवि०—विकल्प= doubt, indecision, uncertainty; जल्प prattling, utterance; मुखर=garrulous. उप्तन्नाः ये विकल्पाः, तेषां जल्पैः मुखराः, तैः. स्वयं = " by themselves ".

Alankāra—संदेह. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Is this a pariah or a twice-born; is this a Shudra or an ascetic or is he some great devotee whose mental powers are skilled in the discernment of the true essence of things. Ascetics, when talked of by men garrulous in the utterances of their doubts in this manner, are neither irritated nor pleased, but walk their way by themselves.

LVII.

Notes and Explanation—वृटि०—व्यतिकर=(1) contact or (2) calamity (व्यसन). See St. 52 *supra*. भव एव बन्धः, तस्य व्यतिकरः; वृटितः भवबन्धव्यतिकरः येषां, ते. वनान्ते=वनप्रदेशे *Com*: St. 66 and 68 *infra*. अचिन्वन्तः—Not looking for, not seeking, not minding. विषमवि०—आशीविष a serpent (आश्यां विषं अस्य; आशी a serpent's fang). विषयाः एव आशीविषाः; विषमाश्च ते विषयाशीविषाश्च, तेषां गतिम् " the course of worldly objects which are like dangerous snakes " *Telang*. or the adjective विषम may be taken with गतिम्. विषमगति the crooked course. शर०—आभोग expanse. शरच्चन्द्रस्य ज्योत्स्नया धवलः यः गगनाभोगः, तेन सुभगां. नयन्ते—With regard to this verb Mr. Kāle remarks that " it is a violation of grammatical rules, the root being Parasmaipadi ". We do not know *how*; नी being Ubhayapadi (नीञ् प्रापणे), see *Pāṇini* I. iii. 72, there appears no grammatical objection in

using it as an Atmanepadi though it is generally used as Parasmaipadi. सुकृत०—सुकृतानां चयस्य चिन्ता एव एकं शरणं येषां ते. For the last two lines compare Stanza 49 *supra*.

Alankāra—रूपक. Metre—शिखरिणी.

*Translation—*Ah ! Fortunate some there are who having crushed (overcome) the calamities in the shape of ties for this world and set their hearts only on the acquisition of merits without minding the course of worldly objects which are like dangerous snakes, spend in a forest the night beautiful on account of the refulgent light of the autumnal moon bathing the expanse of the sky.

LVIII.

Notes and Explanation—इन्द्रि०—इन्द्रियार्थं object of sense, material or worldly object. गहन = wood, deep impenetrable forest. गहनं कलिले त्रिषु ॥ नपुंसकं गह्वरे स्यादुःखकाननयोरपि *Medinī*. इन्द्रियार्थः एव गहनं, तस्मात्. For the ablative see note on निश्चितार्थ-द्विरमन्ति *Niti* : 80, also विरमतं योषित्संगात् Stanza 62 *infra*. आयासकात्—*abla.* of आयासक troublesome ; goes with गहनात्. श्रेयोमार्गं—the *obj.* of आश्रय in the first line. श्रेयसः मार्गः. श्रेयस्= (अतिशयेन प्रशस्यं, comparative of प्रशस्य superlative being श्रेष्ठ) (1) Welfare, happiness. *Com.* : प्रतिबध्नाति हि श्रेयः पूज्यपूजाव्यतिक्रमः *Raghu* I. 79. (2) Religious merit, righteous deeds ; स्याद्दर्ममन्त्रियां पुण्यश्रेयसी सुकृतं वृषः *Amar.* or (3) Final beatitude, absolution. मुक्तिः कैवल्यनिर्वाणश्रेयोनिःश्रेयसामृतं *Amar.* Any one of these meanings will suit here. अशेष०—This adjectival phrase may go with श्रेयोमार्गं or perhaps better with शान्तं भावं in the third line. अशेषाणां दुःखानां शमनरूपे व्यापारे दक्षं (समर्थं). क्षणात् modifies शमन. कल्लोल०—कल्लोल a large wave. लोल unsteady, moving. गति = course, movement. भूयः = again भङ्गुरां—see note Stanza 51.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Oh heart! be pleased now; do not again be after perishable worldly happiness, cease from (entering) this troublesome mazy forest (in the shape) of material objects; take up the way to final absolution, give up thy course which is as unsteady as the waves and adopt a peaceful attitude which is capable of putting down all miseries in a moment.

LIX.

Notes and Explanation—**प्रियैश्च सलिलैः**= Instead of this Mr. Telang reads **प्रिये प्रणयिनि**. There are only two places (this and St. 98 *infra*) where such feminine vocation is met with. Masculine vocatives occur in the Shatakás and we would prefer a similar one in this place such as **भ्रातः**; or **प्रिये प्रणयिनि** may be taken as, one commentator says, an address to **चित्तवृत्ति**. **भूशय्या**—If we take **वृत्ति कृ** to simply mean 'to lead a life' in a general sense (*Com* : **प्रियसखीवृत्ति सपत्नीजने, प्रिया न्याय्या वृत्तिः &c.**) the construction would be **पुण्यर्मूलफलैः प्रियैः सलिलैः भूशय्यानववल्कलैश्च वृत्तिं कुरुष्व**; but the usual meaning of **वृत्ति कृ** is 'to maintain one-self, obtain livelihood' (*Com* : St. 64 and *Mis* : St. 43 *infra*); with this sense we must construe the first two lines (**त्वं**) **अकरुणः भूशय्यानववल्कलैः (युक्तः सन्) पुण्यर्मूलफलैः प्रियैः सलिलैश्चाधुना वृत्तिं कुरुष्व, उत्तिष्ठ, वनं यामः**. Mr. Kále takes **भूशय्या** separately and construes the lines (**हे**) **प्रणयिनि प्रिये (त्वं) भूशय्या भूत्वा पुण्यर्मूलफलैरधुना वृत्तिं कुरुष्व । उत्तिष्ठ, अकरुणैर्नववल्कलैः वनं यामः** which is also an involved one. There is another reading **प्रीतिं कुरुष्व** which is perhaps better as going commonly with all the expressions in the instrumental. **अक०**—**अकरुण** not pleasing to the touch, hard, rough. **ईश्वराणां**=of rich men. *Com* : *Mis* : Stanza 4.. **वित्तव्याधि०**—Mr. Telang reads **वित्तव्याधि** which does not appear

preferable as we have अविवेकमूढ &c., in the third line. वित्तमेव व्याधिः, तस्मात् ये विकाराः or तस्य ये विकाराः (उपद्रवाः complications such as pride, rudeness &c.), तैः विन्धला गीः येषां, तेषाम्. नामापि न श्रूयते Com: Niti: St. 67. For the idea of the verse see Misc: Stanza 34 *infra*.

Translation—Get up (oh friend), let us go to the forest where even the name is not heard of the narrow-hearted rich whose minds are blunt through coarseness and whose speech is agitated by the effects of the malady of lucre. There [in the forest] maintain thyself now on pure roots and fruits and agreeable water, making the earth thy bed, and the rough barks of trees thy new coverlet.

LX.

Notes and Explanation—मार्जय and उपार्जय Imp. second person singulars impart greater beauty than the reading मार्जयतां (genitive plural of मार्जयत्). तां (परमानन्ददायिनीं). चन्द्रा०—चन्द्रस्य अर्धः (शकलः=कला) एव चूडामणिः (शिराभूषण) यस्य, तस्मिन्. भित्तं शकलखंडे वा पुंस्यर्थोऽर्थे समेऽशके Amar. चेतः Vocative sing.: को वा see note Niti: St. 32. बुद्बुद a bubble. तडिल्लेखा streak or flash of lightening. स्त्रीषु—some read श्रीषु which is an equally good reading. “The implication is that everything except devotion to Shiva is untrustworthy like the things enumerated” Telang.

Alankāra—संकर of दीपक and तुल्ययोगिता.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Oh my mind, shake off delusion and be devoted to him who bears the crecent of the moon as an ornament on the head [Shiva]; and domicile thyself on the banks

of the celestial river. For, what reliance can be placed in waves and bubbles, in streaks of lightening and women or in the tips of flames or serpents or the currents of streams?

LXI.

Notes and Explanation—**दाक्षि०**—दाक्षिणात्याः कवयः= Poets from the Deccan. They are well-known for their Vaidharbhi style of composition which is thus defined in the Sahitya-darpana :—

माधुर्यव्यञ्जकैर्वर्णै रचना ललितात्मिका ॥ अवृत्तिरल्पवृत्तिर्वा वैदर्भी रीतिरिष्यते ॥ Váman defines it as अस्पृष्टा दोषमात्राभिः समग्रगुणगुम्फिता ॥

विपञ्चीस्वरसौभाग्या वैदर्भी रीतिरिष्यते. Dandin has very minutely distinguished this style from the Gaudiya, see Kávyadarsha I.

41—53. **लीलाव०**—बलय bracelet. रणितं tinkling. लीलया बलयानां रणितं. **चाम०**—चामराणि गृह्णन्तीति चा०— ग्राहिण्यः, तासाम्. **निर्विकल्पे**

समाधौ—Samádhi (see note St. 54 *supra*) is of two kinds

(1) सविकल्प (क) and (2) निर्विकल्प (क) of which the latter is thus defined in Vedánt-sára :—निर्विकल्पकस्तु ज्ञातृज्ञानादविकल्पभेदलयापेक्षया

अद्वितीयवस्तुनि तदाकाराकारितायाश्चित्तवृत्तेरतितरामेकीभावेनावस्थानम् = “ an exclusive concentration upon the one Entity without distinct and separate consciousness of the knower, the known, and the knowing and without even self-consciousness ” Telang.

Metre—**मन्दाक्रान्ता**.

Translation—Oh mind ! Be engrossed in the enjoyment of worldly pleasures, if thou hast singing in front of thee, sweet poets from the Deccan by thy side and the tinkling of deftly moving bracelets of damsels holding the *chawris* behind thee : otherwise plunge thyself at once into devout concentration freeing thee from all consciousness.

LXII.

Notes and Explanation—**योषित्सं०**—in apposition with मुखान्. करु०—करुणा compassion for living creatures. महा power of discernment. Krishna Shāstri has आत्मज्ञान for प्रज्ञा. करुणा, मैत्री, प्रज्ञा are here figuratively spoken of as eligible female companions. करुणा च मैत्री च प्रज्ञा च, ता एव वैधृज्जनाः, तेषां सङ्गमम्. हाराक्रान्तं covered with necklaces. शरणं=रक्षितु. श्रोणीविषयं well-developed hips; the word is written either श्रोणि or श्रोणी. रण०—मणिखचिता or मणियुक्ता मेखला मणिमेखला = a girdle set with jewels. रणन्ती मणिमेखला यस्मिन्, तत्.

Alankāra—काव्यलिङ्ग. *Metre*—हरिणी.

Translation—Oh wise men, refrain from the ephemeral pleasure of the company of the fair sex. Cultivate [the company of the ladies] Compassion, Friendship, and Discernment. Neither will the full developed orbs of the bosoms of the fair covered with necklaces nor their well-formed hips having a tinkling jewel-girdle be your safe-guard in the nether world.

LXIII.

Notes and Explanation—See Nīti-shatāka Stanza 26.

LXIV.

Notes and Explanation—**मा स्म भूः**—Sometimes मा is followed by स्म and is used with the Aorist or Imperfect with the augment dropped; see *Pāṇini* III. iii. 176. *Com* : क्लृप्त्यं मा स्म

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गमः पार्थ *Bhag: Gītā* II. 3; मा स्म प्रतीपं गमः *Shāku* : IV. 17; see also note on मावमस्थाः Nīti: St. 17. भोगेभ्यः—For the dative

see note on प्रसृतये Niti: St. 45. स्पृह०—स्पृहयालु=longing for, covetous; from स्पृह+आलुच् (आलु) by स्पृहिस्पृहिपतिदयिनिद्रातन्द्राश्रद्धाभ्य आलुच् Pāṇini III. ii. 158 . making स्पृहयालुः, पतयालुः&c. का नि०—
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सि=what art thou to men indifferent to worldly pleasures? सद्यः०—
पात्रे—पलाशस्य पत्राणि प०—त्राणि; सद्यः स्वतानां पलाशपत्राणां पुटिका, सैव
पात्रं, तस्मिन्. सद्यः quickly. This may be taken either as a
member of the compound or separately with पवित्रीकृते,
स्यूत sewn, stiched. पत्रपुटिका= a vessel made of leaves joined
together. The usual word is पत्रपुटक. पवित्री०—पवित्रीकृत =
purified. The verbal or other forms of कृ, भू, or sometimes अस्
are added to a noun or an indeclinable to express the 'doing or
being like' the thing denoted by the base, see Pāṇini V. iii. 50.
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मिक्षा०—मिक्षया प्राप्ताः ये सकवः, तेः. सकु barloy. वृत्ति livelihood.
See Misc : Stanza 43 infra.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Mother Wealth, follow some one else, do not
be longing for me. We have no eagerness for enjoyment. What
art thou to us who are free from desires? Now we wish to sub-
sist on barley grain collected by begging in a purified vessel
made of Palāsha leaves joined together on the spot.

LXV.

Notes and Explanation—यूयं—This is addressed to a
friend now estranged, as explained by Krishna Shastri. “हे मित्र
यूयं वयमेव, वयं यूयमेव, इति पूर्वं आवयोर्मतिरासीत् । परस्परं सुहृत्वाभिनिवेशे-
नाभेदबुद्धिरासीत् । अधुना तु यूयं यूयमेव, वयं वयमेवेति बुद्धिर्जाता, इदानीं सु-
हृत्वाभिनिवेशाभावेन परस्परं भेदबुद्धिर्जाता इत्यर्थः ।” Cf. पितामहोस्मि स्थविरः
पिता पुत्रश्च भारत ॥ ममेव यूयमात्मस्था न मे यूयं नवो वयं Bhārat.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—You were (as it were) ourselves and we were (as it were) yourselves, this was our sentiment (once). What has happened now by which you are yourselves and we are ourselves.

LXVI.

Notes and Explanation—बाले—*Voc.* of बाला a young woman. लीलामु०—मुकुलित (मुकुलः—लं a bud+इतच् (इत) by *Pāninī* V. ii. 36) 1837

half-shut, closed in the form of a bud. *Cf.*—दरमुकुलितनयनसरो-जं *Gīt. G.* II. also दरमुकुलितनेत्रपालि. *Ras. Man.* लीलया मुकुलितं यथा स्यात् तथा. मन्थराः=(1) slow, (2) crooked; मन्थरः कोशफलयो-बांधमन्यानयोः पुमान् ॥ कुसुभ्यां न द्वयोर्मन्दे पृथौ वक्केऽभिधेयवत् *Medinī*. उपरतं—(p. p. from उप+रम्) stopped, ceased. It goes with वास्यं (बालस्य भावः) immaturity of understanding, puerility, hence youth. आस्था—(1) regard, desire (2) effort. *See* St. 30 *supra*, also *Nīti*: St. 98. आस्था त्वालम्बनास्थानयत्नापेक्षासु योषिति *Medinī*. क्षीणः—(p. p. from क्षि-क्षये) worn away, weak. मोहः क्षीणः=Infatuation has subsided.

Alankāra—काव्यालङ्कारः. *Metre*—मन्दाक्रान्ता.

Translation—Oh young woman, why dost thou cast these side-glances from thy sportively half-closed eyes? Refrain, do refrain. This effort of thine is in vain. Now we are changed, youth has departed and a desire for the deepest part of a forest is strong in us. The delusion of attachment has subsided and we look upon all this net-like world as if it was a blade of grass.

LXVII.

Notes and Explanation—अनवरतं = Unceasingly, continuously. इन्दी०—इन्दीवरस्य (नीलकमलस्य) दलं (पत्रं), तस्य प्रभां चोरयतीति इन्दी० चोरं *lit.*: one that robs the beauty of the blue-lotus-leaf. In such phrases the roots जुर्, सुष् &c. figuratively mean 'to possess, to bear, to surpass' &c. *Cf.* अचूचुरचन्द्रमसोऽभिरामताम् *Mágha* I. 16. मुष्णञ् ध्रियमशोकानां रक्तैः परिजनाम्बरैः ॥ गीतैर्वराङ्गनानां च कोकिलभ्रमरध्वनिम् *Kathásaritságara* LV. 113. अभिप्रेतं—*Past : Par :* from अभि+प्र+इ=to mean, to intend, used here as a verb. स्मर०—कुसुमान्येव बाणाः कु० बाणाः ; स्मरस्य कुसुमबाणानां व्यतिकरेण यः ज्वरः, तस्य ज्वाला="the blaze of the fever produced from contact with the flowery arrows of Cupid" *Telang*. तदपि=tथापि nevertheless, yet, still. *See Misc : St. 28 infra* and *Niti : Mis : St. 19*. वराकी poor, miserable. This word is generally used to show pity and sometimes contempt. *Cf.* तत्किमुब्बिहानजीवितां वराकीं नानुकम्पसे *Málati Mádhya*. X. वराकीं तामश्रानय परिषदीत्यग्रजगिरम् *Bhárat : Champu*.

Alankára—विशेषोक्ति. *Metre*—शिखरिणी.

Translation—This young woman unceasingly casts at me her glances which have stolen the beauty of the blue-lotus leaf. What does she mean (by it)? Our infatuation has gone and the burning of the fever produced by contact of the flowery arrows of Cupid has been cooled, yet the poor girl does not cease :

LXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—वसतये—for the purpose of a residence. गेयादिकं—गेयं singing. प्राणस०—प्राणैः समा (तुल्या) प्राणसमा (प्रिया), तस्याः समागमस्य सुखं. उद्धा०—उद्धान्त *past par.*

from उद्भ्रम (क [त] being here added in the active sense by गत्यर्थकर्म • *Pāṇini* III. iii. 72) = Bewildered, insensate; 308d

wandering upwards. दीपाङ्कुर=The taper of the flame of a lamp:

Cf. कुर्यत्कल्पिपाङ्कुरं दधति धाम दीपाङ्कुराः *Viddh: Bhanji*: छाया=shadow.

Krishna Shāstree takes छाया to signify कान्तिः brilliance. Mr. Telang renders it by 'flame.' उद्भ्रान्ताः पतन्तश्च ये पतद्भ्रूः, तेषां पवनेन व्यालोलानां दीपाङ्कुराणां छायेव चञ्चलं. आकलय्य = शाखा Knowing,

understanding, looking upon. सन्तः nom : plu : of सत्.

Alankāra—उपमा. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Is not a palace pleasant to live in? Is not singing &c. agreeable to hear? Is not the pleasure from the company of one as dear as the very life, to one's great taste? Yet the wise have looked upon all these things as unstable as the shadow of a taper flickering through the wind produced by the wings of a bewildered moth falling on it, and have gone into a forest.

LXIX.

Notes and Explanation—प्रसभं forcibly, against one's own will. It goes with वीक्ष्यन्ते or it may be taken with अपगत in the sense of 'exceedingly, very much' as in तवास्मि गीतरागेण हारिणा प्रसभं हतः *Shākun*. अपग०—प्रश्रय courtesy, polite behaviour. प्रश्रयप्रणयी समौ *Amar*. दुःखोपा०—read वश.नर्तित instead of वशानर्तित; the reading वशानर्तित may also be explained by adopting the एकदेशी अन्वय of the phrase ०पवनवशात् with नर्तित. दुःखेन उपात्तं (प्राप्तं) यत् अल्पं वित्तं, तस्मात् यः स्मयः (गर्वः), तस्य वशेन आनर्तिताः भ्रूलताः येषु, तानि (मुखानि). " It refers to the eye-brows being sometimes raised and sometimes folded into

wrinkles out of pride of greatness, and contempt of others in consequence" *Telang*. चीराणि किं पथि न सन्ति दिशन्ति भिक्षा नैवा-
दिषाः परभृतः सरितोऽप्यशुष्यन् ॥ रुद्धा गुहाः किमजितोऽवति नोपसन्नान्
कस्माद्भजन्ति कवयो धनदुर्मन्थान् *Bhāg*. II.

Alankāra—निरङ्गरूपक. *Metre*—स्रग्धरा.

Translation—Have all roots disappeared entirely from the valleys, or springs from mountains, or branches of trees bearing succulent fruits and yielding barks (for garments) been destroyed that the faces, wherein the eyebrows appear to dance through the wind of arrogance of the small wealth earned with trouble, of the extremely mannerless wretches, are seen !

LXX.

Notes and Explanation—गङ्गातर०—हिमशीकर is better than कणशीकर since the words in the latter are synonymous. शीकरोऽम्बुकणाः स्मृताः *Amar*. गङ्गायाः तरङ्गाणां हिमशीकरैः (शीताम्बुकणैः) शीतलानि (स्थानानि). विद्या०—विद्याधरैः अध्युषितानि (अधिष्ठितानि) चारुणि शिलातलानि येषाम्. हिमवतः—of the *Himālayās*. सावमा०—अवमानेन सहितः यः परपिण्डः, तस्मिन् रताः or सावमानं यथा स्यात्तथा परपिण्डे रताः । भवन्तीति शेषः. See परपिण्ड &c. Stanza 48 *supra*.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—Is it that the retreats of the *Himālayās*, which are cooled by the spray of the waters of the Ganges and wherein the splendid stone-slabs have been used as seats by the *Vidyādharaś*, have ceased to exist that men to their own disgrace remain content with the food from others ?

LXXI.

Notes and Explanation—**श्रीमान्**=possessing riches. **म्** is a possessive affix; see *Pāṇini* V. ii. 94. **यदा**=यदि. Its corre-
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lative **तदा** should be supplied in the fourth line. **युगान्ता०**—
युगान्ते यः अग्निः, तेन निहतः. **समुद्राः**—These as given by Rāmār-
shi and quoted by Mr. Telang, are क्षीरोद, इक्षुरसोद, सुरोद, पृतोद,
दधिमन्योद, क्षारोद, and शुद्धोद. **प्रचुरानि०**—निकर collection. निलय
abode. प्रचुराः निकराः येषां, तेषां प्राहाणां निलयाः येषु, ते. **धरणिध०**—
धरणिधर a mountain. पाद the foot of a mountain, a hill at the
foot of a mountain. पादाः प्रत्यन्तपर्वताः *Amar*. The mountains
are known according to Hindu mythology to be the supporters
of the earth. Even their very names in literature such as भूधर,
क्ष्माभृत् &c., show them to be regarded as such; however, see
Kumār VI. 68. **करिक०**—करिणः कलभस्य (शिशोः) कर्णाग्रमिव
चपलं, तस्मिन्.

Alankāra—काव्यार्थापत्ति. *Metre*—शिखरिणी.

Translation—When the majestic mountain Meru comes to
be destroyed by the final fires (युगान्ताग्निः), the seas which are
the abodes of multitudes of alligators get dried, and the earth,
though sustained by the feet of the mountains comes to an
end, then what of this mortal tenement as unsteady as the end
of the ear of a young elephant ?

LXXII.

Notes and Explanation—**एकाकी**—एकः (केवलः) अकतीति
(गच्छतीति) एकाकी, unaccompanied, all alone **कर्मणि०**—निर्मूलन
rooting out. Here संसार is compared to a tree, with कर्म for its
root which must be cut down if one wishes to be free from this

संसार. The chief means of cutting it down is असंग. Cf:—

आदौ मध्ये तथान्ते जनिमृतिफलदं कर्ममूलं विशालं ज्ञात्वा संसारवृक्षं भ्रमय
दमुदिताशोकतानंकपत्रम् ॥ कामक्रोधादिशाखं सुतपशुर्वानताकन्यकापाक्षि
संघं छित्त्वाऽसंगाग्निनेन पटुमतिरभितश्चिन्तयेद्वासुदेवम् ॥ *Ved. Kesa,*

or

अथक्ष मूलान्यनुसन्ततानि कर्मानुबन्धीनि मनुष्यलोके ॥

and

अश्वत्थमेनं सुविरूढमूलमसंगशक्रेण दृढेन छित्त्वा ॥ *Gītā. XV. 2 and 3.*

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

*Translation—*Oh God Shiva, when shall I—a solitary one, free from desires, calm, with the hand for my cup, with the quarters for my garment, —be able to root out Karma?

LXXIII.

*Notes and Explanation—सकल०—सकलान् कामान् दुहन्तीति सकलकामदुघाः. दत्तं पदं &c.—Cf. अकृत्वा हेलया पादमुर्ध्वसु विद्विषाम् ॥ कथंकारमनालम्बा कीर्तिद्यामधिरोहति ॥ *Māgha II.* प्रणयिनः—प्रणयिन्= (1) a friend (2) a supplicant, an humble petitioner. Cf. स्थायास्तथां गुह्यतरा प्रणयिर्कियेव *Vikra : IV. 15.* प्रणयास्त्वमी ॥ विद्यम्भयान्बा-प्रेमाणः *Amar.* कल्प स्थितं—कल्पं an acc. of time. कल्प=A day of Brahmā or 1000 Yugas, being a period of 432 million years of mortals and measuring the duration of the world. For the accusative and the construction see note on अन्तं देशं Stanza 5.*

For things proffered by the poet to those mentioned in this verse see Stanza 75 *infra*.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका.

*Translation—*What, if wealth, capable of bringing every desired object, is gained; what, if the foot be placed on the head of the enemy; what if the suppliants are honoured by grants of wealth and what if mortals continue to live for several millions of years?

LXXIV.

Notes and Explanation—अमल० अमलवरं पटवत् is clearer and easier of explanation. अमलवरं the best among those that are spotless; the cleanest. पटवत् silken cloth. In the reading अमलपटं पटसूत्रं we must take अमलपट to signify 'a clean cloth' (पट being either masculine or neuter) and पटसूत्रं=having silken threads; of silk. हयक०—हयाश्च करिणश्च, तेषां शोभनैः गणैः; or सुगण a body of clever servants or attendants, हयाश्च करिणश्च सुगणाश्च, तैः. The reading शतगुणगुणिता कंठिरिका makes a better contrast with एका भार्या than हयकरि &c. भक्तं=boiled rice, good food as opposed to कदम्बन in the same line. कदम्बनं—कुत्सितं भक्षणं कदम्बनं=bad food. The particle क् is changed to क्त् in a Tatpuruṣa compound when the latter member begins with a vowel, as कदम्बः, कदम्बं, according to. कोः क्त्तत्पुरुषोच *Pāṇini* VI. iii. 101.

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व्यक्तज्योतिः०—Mr. Telang observes that व्यक्तं would be better than व्यक्त. He translates the line "what, too, if there is not within that clear Glory of the Supreme by which all worldly dangers are destroyed." Mr. Kāle takes two separate assertions and explains व्यक्तज्योतिः वैभवं (यदि) न (ततः किं) ? अन्तर्मथितभवभयं वैभवं वा (यदि विद्यते) ततः किं ? What if there is not the light (of the knowledge of Brahman,), manifested inside (i. e. in the heart) or what if there is the glorification in which the fear of worldly existence is destroyed ? We would, however, explain the line by taking व्यक्तज्योतिः; and मथित &c. as adjectives to वैभवं. व्यक्तज्योतिः=व्यक्तं (प्रत्यक्षं) ज्योतिः (ब्रह्मरूपं) यस्मिन् तत्. Mr. Kāle dissolves it as व्यक्ता ज्योतिः (ब्रह्मज्ञानरूपा) यस्मिन्, but we are not aware of the feminine use of the word ज्योतिस्. अन्तः inside. मथित०—मथितं भवभयं येन. The construction is अन्तः व्यक्तज्योतिः. अथैव मथितभवभयं वैभवं वा न चास्ति ततः किम् ?=What, too, if there is not that Glory in which there is the manifestation of the Supreme Light inside and which is therefore able to destroy

worldly dangers. In the reading न वान्तर्म—वैभवं वा, one वा seems to be redundant.

In this Stanza, there is no distinct mention of the desideratum; a disregard for every thing, even ब्रह्मसाक्षात्कार not excepted, is indicated. From the context of the foregoing and the next stanza, it will be seen that the poet appears to imply that the knowledge of Brahma is valueless without devotion to Shiva. For a similar idea *Com*: नैष्कर्म्यमप्यच्युतभाववर्जितं न शोभतं ज्ञानमलं निरञ्जनं *Bhāgvat*. If, however, the predominance of ब्रह्मज्ञान over भक्ति is to be taken to be the view of the poet as being in consonance with his expressions elsewhere (*e. g.* Sts. 76, 80, 81, 84, 87), we must construe the last line as under:—

अन्तः मथितभवभयं व्यक्तज्योतिः न चास्ति, वैभवं वा विद्यते, ततः किम् ?
(Here वा not as a disjunctive, but in the sense of एव ; See Stanza 43).

Metre—अग्निरा.

Translation—What if there be a worn-out quilt or a white clean silk-cloth ; what if you have the wife alone, or you be surrounded by horses, elephants and clever servants ; what if you eat cooked rice of superior quality or only a coarse meal in the evening ; what if there is not that glory in which there is the manifestation of the Supreme Light inside and which is therefore able to destroy worldly dangers ?

LXXV.

Notes and Explanation—भवे—*loc*: of भव the god Shiva. भ्योमकेशो भवो भीमः स्थाणू रुद्र उमापतिः *Amar*. भयणजः—The fear of death and birth is essential in Vairāgya, in fact it is the chief essence in it. सोहो न बन्धुबुधैः &c. *Cf.* सत्री मित्रे पुत्रे बन्धु मा कुरु यत्नं विमलसन्धौ *Mohanudgāra*. हृदिस्थं—an भक्त समास, *see Pāṇini VI. iii. 14*.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—When there is devotion for Shiva, fear of birth and death in the mind, indifference for kinsmen, no excitement of passions, possession of solitary and pure depths of forests, and asceticism, what more is to be wished for?

LXXVI.

Notes and Explanation—तस्मात् -- we do not see any propriety of this word here. अनन्त &c.—See note Niti : Stanza 1. परमं=उत्कृष्टं the best, highest. विकासि—विकासः सदा उदयः विद्यते अस्य नित्योदितमित्यर्थः *Rámarshi*. असहि०—विविधाः कल्पाः (कल्याणाः पक्षाः वा) विकल्पाः; असन्तश्च ते विकल्पाश्च, तैः. विकल्पाः fancie or dreams. विकल्पाः=विषयाः. *Rámarshi*. यदयं—refers to Brahma. अनुषङ्गिणः=अनुयायिनः following after, depending on. भुवनाधि०—भुवनानां आधिपत्यं, तस्य भोगः, स आदिर्येषां ते (विषयाः). कृपणलोक०—कृपणाश्च ते लोकश्च, तेषां मताः highly esteemed by shallow-minded persons. For the idea of the last two lines Cf. आनन्दान् यश्च सर्वाननुभवति नृपः सर्वसंपत्समृद्धस्तस्यानन्दः स एकः स खलु शतगुणः संप्रदिष्टः पितृणाम् ॥ आदेवब्रह्मलोकं शतशतगुणितास्ते वदन्तर्गताः स्युर्ब्रह्मानन्दः स एकोऽस्त्ययं विषय-सुखान्यंस्वमात्रा भवन्ति *Vedánt-Kesari*.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—Then contemplate that Brahma which is boundless and imperishable, and is the supremest and brilliant, and on which depend all mundane things such as the sovereignty of the world and its pleasures which are highly esteemed by thoughtless people. Why these idle fancies?

LXXVII.

Notes and Explanation—मानस Vocative singular, an address to the mind. Some take मानसवापदेन as one word and

explain it 'with the agility of the mind'. **आन्त्याऽपि** even by mistake. **जातु**=Ever, at any time. **न जातु**=Never. **आत्मनीनं**=आत्मने हितं beneficial to oneself. **आत्मन्**, विश्वजन and compounds having भोग for their latter member, take the 'Taddhit affix ख (इन) in the sense of 'तस्मै हितं' as विश्वजनीनं, राजभोगीनः &c. **आत्मन्विश्वजनभोगोत्तरपदात्सः** *Pāṇini* V. I. 9. **निर्वृतिमेषि**=सुखं (मोक्ष-सुखं) प्राप्नोषि. Cf. आत्माभिज्ञस्य लिप्तेरपि भवति महान् शाश्वतः सिद्धिभोगो ह्यात्मा तस्मादुपास्यः खलु तदभिगमे सर्वसौख्यान्यलिप्तोः *Vedānt-Kesari* 86.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—O mind! thou enterest the Pātāla, soarest across the skies, and wanderest fleetly through the ethereal regions. How then is it that even by mistake thou never rememberest that Brahma which is pure and beneficial to oneself and through which one gains the pleasures of final emancipation.

LXXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—**सैव**=सा एव same, similar. **अदुधा**: the ignorant. **निभृ०**—निभृतं यथा भवति तथा प्रारब्धः तत्तत्क्रियाः यैः. निभृतं firmly, steadily; it may also be taken to mean 'secretly, silently'. **निभृताः**=भृताः पोषिता वा Krishna Shāstri. **पुनरुक्त०**—पुनरुक्तं यथा स्यात्तथा भुक्ताः विषयाः येषु, तैः (न्यापारैः). पुनरुक्तं repeatedly, over and over again. **कद्विधिताः** despised, disgraced. See Niti : St. 106 and note on कदशन St. 74 *supra*.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Looking upon the same night and the same day to be repeating, busy ignorant folks run in one and the same course, steadily engaging themselves in their diverse occupations. Alas! how is it that under the influence of infatuation,

we do not feel ashamed at being put in a despicable position by this course of secular life wherein the undertakings comprise only a recurrence of worldly objects.

LXXIX.

Notes and Explanation—उपधानं—उपधीयते शिरोऽत्र a pillow. वितानं (also वितानः mas :) an awning, a canopy. अस्त्री वितानमुद्धेवः Amar. अनिलः=breeze. विर०—विरति indifference to worldly pleasures. विरतिरेव वनिता, तस्याः सङ्गेन मुदितः. अतनु०—भूतिः=(1) wealth, prosperity; (2) ashes. भूतिर्भस्मनि संपदि Amar. न तनुः अतनुः=महती. अतनुः भूतिर्यस्य. The first sense applies to a king and the second to a sage. The idea of this Stanza is almost the same as that of Misc : Stanza 32 *infra*.

Alankāra—उपमा. *Metre*—शिखरिणी.

Translation—The sage, pleased with the companionship of abnegation, with plenty of ashes smeared on his person, stretches himself like a prosperous monarch calmly and contentedly on the earth which serves him for a comfortable bed, the arm for an ample pillow, the heaven for a canopy, agreeable breeze for a fan and the moon for a bright lamp.

LXXX.

Notes and Explanation—महाशासने—शास्यते तच्छासनं, तस्मिन्. महत् is changed to महा when it forms the first member of a Karmadhāraya or a Bahuvrihi compound or when the word जाती follows. आन्महतः समानाधिकरणजातीययोः *Pāṇi*: VI. iii. 46.

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महाशासनं = उपनिषदुपदिष्टब्रह्मज्ञानं the knowledge of Brahma as expounded in the Upanishads. It is महत् because it comes from

the four Muhāvākya's, it being the highest truth taught by them; or as Mr. Telang says "महाशसन means 'whose commands are great'; thus in one of the Upanishads एतस्य वा अक्षरस्य गार्गि प्रशासने सूर्याचन्द्रमसौतिष्ठतः or भीष्मस्माद्वातः पवते &c; the greatness consisting in the great powers which obey these commands". After महाशसने, some such expression as कर्त्तुं or अधिगते सति should be supplied. अशनं—अशनं च वक्त्रं च मानस्य, तैः घटना यस्य or तेषां घटना (or घटनं) यस्मिन्, तस्मिन् (भोगे) Mr. Telang reads आसनवक्त्र, but अशनवक्त्र (= अन्नवक्त्र) is more natural than आसनवक्त्र. Perhaps आसन may be included in मान honour. भोगे रति मा कृथाः Cf. पापे रति मा कृथाः Niti: St. 77 and see note on मावमंस्थाः Niti: St. 17. कोऽपि—Cf. स ज्ञातः कोऽप्यासीत् Supra St. 29. नित्योदितः Ever existing, permanent. विरसां—for the idea com: Stanza 76 supra and notes and Bhagawat Gitā VI. 22.

Metre—शार्दूलविकीरित.

Translation—The knowledge of Brahma having been acquired, even the sovereignty of the universe is without pleasure; when that has been obtained, do not have an attraction for the enjoyment contained in food, clothes, and position. That indescribable pleasure alone is the highest and everlasting, on tasting which secular objects such as the sovereignty of the universe &c. lose all charm.

LXXXI.

Notes and Explanation—किं चेदेः—for the use of the word किम्, see Niti: St. 21 and note thereon. महाविस्तरैः—महान् विस्तरः पूर्वपक्षोत्तरपक्षादिरूपः यस्मिन्, तैः स्वर्गप्राप्तं—स्वर्ग एव प्राप्तः, तस्मिन् या कुटी, (गृहं), तस्यां निवास एव फल, तद्ददाति, तैः Comp. Gitā II. 42. The use of the word प्राप्त and कुटी

serve to indicate the small importance which philosophers like our poet attach to स्वर्ग as justly observed by Mr. Kale. कर्मक्रिया० — कर्मणां यागादिकर्मणां क्रिया करणं, तस्याः विभ्रमाः विलासाः, तेः. कर्मक्रिया= 'The performance of rites and ceremonies' *Telang*. मुक्त्वा= (Inde. Past Part. from मुच् having the force of a preposition) Except; see St. 91 *infra*. भवव०— रचना=arrangement i. e. the assignment of troubles in futuro births. भवकण्ठेन यानि दुःखानि, तेषां रचनायाः विध्वंसे (नाशे) कालानलं (प्रलयाग्निसदृशं). स्वात्मा०—कलन= 'The compassing or effecting. स्वस्यात्मनः यत् आनन्दपदं आनन्दरूपं स्थानं, तस्मिन् यः प्रवेशः, तस्य कलनम् स्वात्मानन्दपदं= 'The seat where there is joy in oneself' *Telang*. Rāmarshi explains स्वात्मानन्द एव परमानन्द एव पदं वस्तु, तत्र प्रवेशकलनमनुभवधारणम्. घणिगृह्यः=Mercenary doings.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—What is the use of the Vedas, the Smritis, the perusal of the Puranas, the vast Shāstras, or the perplexing performance of rites and ceremonies which results in an abode for us in the heaven? All others are mere mercenary affairs except that one which secures an entrance into the place where there is joy in one's self and which proves to be like the final destructive fire in annihilating the series of miseries in the ties of this world.

LXXXII.

Notes and Explanation—कल्लोल०—कल्लोल = a large wave. कति०—कतिपयदिवसान् तिष्ठति तच्छीला. यौवनश्रीः = तारुण्यशोभा. धनार्थाः = Wealth, riches. संकल्पकल्पाः = Momentary like a thought. The Taddhit affix कल्प् (कल्प) is added to nouns &c, in the sense of 'a little less than', 'almost like'; ईषदसमाप्तां कल्पदेव्यदेशीयरः *Pāṇini* V. iii. 67. घनस०—घनसमये (वर्षाकाले)

या तडित्, तस्या इव विभ्रमः येषां ते. भोगपूराः=विषयसुखप्रवाहाः.
 कण्ठाश्लेषे०—उपगूढ=(Past Part. from उप+गूढ्, used as a noun)
 Embrace. कण्ठस्याश्लेषो यस्मिन् तत्कण्ठाश्लेषं, कण्ठाश्लेषं च तदुपगूढं च or
 कण्ठाश्लेषं यथास्यात्तथा उपगूढम्. Krishna Shastri explains कण्ठस्याश्लेष
 आलिङ्गनं तत्पूर्वकमुपगूढमावरणम्. प्रणीतं = रचितं or कृतम्. भवभ०—
 भवभयमेवाम्भोधिः, तस्य पारं (परतीरं).

Alankāra—काव्यालिङ्ग. *Metre*—स्रग्धरा.

Translation—Life is uncertain like a large wave, the grace of youth is ephemeral, riches are momentary like thoughts, the streams of worldly enjoyments are like the flashes of lightening in autumn, even the close embrace of the beloved one, does not last long. Hence fix your attention on Brahma in order to cross the ocean of worldly fears.

LXXXIII.

Notes and Explanation—ब्रह्माण्ड०—मण्डलमेव मण्डली (समूहः);
 ब्रह्माण्डानां मण्डली ब्र०—मण्डली; ब्रह्माण्डमण्डली एव ब्र०—मात्रं. मात्रं कात्स्न्येऽ
 वधारणे *Amur*. शफरो=A small glittering fish. जातु=Ever, at
 any time, possibly. The second line is a question implying
 a negative answer.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—What is mere collection of worlds to tempt one who has his mind under control. Is agitation ever produced in the ocean by the gambols of a small fish ?

LXXXIV.

Notes and Explanation—स्मरतिमि०—तिमिर=(1) Darkness
 (2) A kind of eye-disease viz: amaurosis; तिमिरं ध्वान्ते नेत्रामया-

न्तरे *Medinī*. संस्कार = Effect, operation. स्मर एव तिमिरं, तस्य संस्कारेण जनितं. Perhaps the second meaning of तिमिर (an eye-disease) would be more appropriate here as it blinds the eye and as we have अञ्जन in the third line, as removing the disease. अपि—does not make a good sense where it is ; it should be taken with अशेषम्. पटुतर०—विवेकः = सदसद्विचारः. अतिशयेनपटुः पटुतरः; पटुतरश्चासौ विवेकश्च; स एवाञ्जनं, तद जुषन्ति, तेषाम्. समोभूता = Made even, corrected, brought to the normal condition समोभूता = समत्वं प्राप्ता शत्रुमित्रौदासीन्यरहिता एकरूपेत्यर्थः Krishna Shâstri.

Alankāra—रूपक. *Metre*—शिखरिणी.

Translation—When there was lack of discernment through the amaurosis of passion, the whole of this world appeared full of women. But now our eye-sight which has become normal through the application of the collyrium of better discrimination looks upon the universe as Brahma.

LXXXV.

Notes and Explanation—चन्द्रमरीचयः = The rays of the moon ; moon-light. तृण०—तृणानि हरिततृणानि सन्ति अस्याम्. साधुसु०—साधवः य सुहवः (Karmadha : Com :) or साधवश्च सुहृदश्च (Dwanda Com :), तेषां समागमस्य सुखम्. Mr. Telang reads रम्यः साधुसमागमः शमसुखं where शमसुखं requires रम्यं to be supplied. काव्येषु रम्याः कथाः = काव्येषु याः कथाः ताः रम्याः, काव्यगताः कथा रम्या इत्यर्थः. “ काव्येषु कथाः = Conversation about poetry ”—Telang. Mr. Kale reads रम्यं साधु समागमोद्भवसुखं काव्येषु &c.. and seems to take काव्येषु with the previous clause saying ‘ In poetry there is the happiness arising from the company of good men ’. But this is far-fetched. काव्ये goes better with कथाः. कोपोपाहि०—उपाहित (उप+आहित) lit. means स्थिति, but here it comes to mean प्राप्त. तरलं=भापुरं Shining, glistening. Cf. न प्रभातरलं ज्यो-

तिरुदेति वसुधातलात् *Shākuntala*. (1) कोपेन उपाहिताः ये बाष्पबिन्दवः, तैः तरलं or (2) कोपेन उपाहिताः बाष्पबिन्दवः यस्मिन्, तच्च तत्तरलं च. or (3) तरलं may be taken as quite a separate adjective. अनित्यतामुपगते—“ अनित्यतामधुवतां । अस्थिरतामितियावत् ” Krish: Sha: Nothing is pleasant when the mind is distracted. पुनः = But, on the other hand.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—The rays of the moon are delightful, the verdant lawn is pleasing, happiness from the society of good hearty friends is agreeable, the narratives in poetic works are charming, the face of the beloved sparkling with drops of tears produced by anger is lovely. Everything is pleasing : nothing, however, pleases when the mind is unsteady.

LXXXVI.

Notes and Explanation—भिक्षाशी—भिक्षामश्नातीति. जन०—जनमध्ये यः सङ्गः, तेन रहितः. स्वायत्त०—स्वायत्ता स्वाधीना चेष्टा इन्द्रियन्यापारः यस्य सः, जितेन्द्रिय इत्यर्थः. दानादा०—दानं च आदानं च, ताभ्यां विरक्तः यः मार्गः, तास्मिन् निरतः (तत्परः). रथ्या०—आकीर्ण=Scattered or spread over. विशीर्ण=Shattered, broken to pieces. जीर्ण=Old. रथ्यायां आकीर्णानि विशीर्णानि जीर्णानि च यानि वसनानि, तैः. This whole phrase goes with आरयत् only, and therefore it is an एकदेशी अन्वय. आस्यूतक०—आस्यूत = Sewn together, patched with. आस्यूत is more clear than संप्रोत which is more generally applied to threads extended lengthwise as opposed to ओत. Cf. ओतः प्रोतश्च तन्तुष्विहविततपदश्चित्रवर्णेषु चित्रः *Vedānt-Kesari* 49. °वसनैः कृत्वा आस्यूता या कन्या, तस्याः धरः. शमसुखा०—आभोग=Full enjoyment. See note on भवाभोगोद्धिमां St. 42 *supra*. Or it may be taken to mean here परिपूर्णता as Rāmarshi takes it. शमसुखाभोगे एकस्मिन् वदा स्पृहा येन. Cf. °मासैकवदस्पृहः *Niti*: Stanza 29.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—There is scarcely an ascetic who lives on alms, and though among men keeps himself aloof from them, who is always self-controlled, and fixed in the path which is indifferent to give and take, who clothes himself with a cloak made up by stitching together old worn out clothes lying about in the streets: he is indifferent to honour, is not proud and has his desire fixed only upon the full enjoyment of the pleasure of tranquility.

LXXXVII.

Notes and Explanation—मातर्मैदिनि०—The vocatives मातः, तात, सखे &c. appear to be meaningful—thus tender nursing like the mother, happiness like that from the father &c. The sage says to the five elements—"you have taken care of me and done me immense good till now, in fact through your help I was able to secure the knowledge of Brahma; for, that knowledge would have been an impossibility if I had not been in the corporeal tenement made up of you all. Now, that I am going to be absorbed in Brahma, I take your leave with grateful recollections. एष भव०—एष is decidedly better than एव which has no propriety. अन्त्यः प्रणामाञ्जलिः=The last salutation, युष्मत्स०—उद्रेक = Overflow, abundance. युष्माकं सङ्गस्य वशेन उपजातं यत्सुकृतं, तस्य उद्रेकेण स्फुरत् निर्मलं च यत् ज्ञानं, तेन अपास्तः समस्तः मोहस्य महिमा यस्य, तथाभूतः (अहम्). लीये परे ब्रह्मणि = I now merge in the Supreme Brahma.

Alankāra—कान्यलिङ्ग. Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Oh earth, my mother! Oh wind, my father! Oh light, my friend! Oh water my good relative! Oh sky, my brother! here is my last salutation to you with folded hands, since all the power of infatuation has been removed (from me)

by the pure knowledge resplendent with abundance of virtues produced by the influence of your company; I now merge in the Supreme Brahma.

LXXXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—स्वस्थमिदं शरी०—स्वस्थ=At ease. अरुजं—sound, healthy. रुक् or रुजा = Sickness, pain, disease. न विद्यते रुक् or रुजा यस्मिन्, तत्. construe यावत् इदं शरीरं अरुजं सत् स्वस्थमस्ति, तावदेव (in the third line) &c. The sense of अरुज may be included in स्वस्थ. With that view कलेवरगृहं is also a good reading. कलेवर body. अप्रतिहता = Unimpaired. आत्मश्रेयसि—For the meaning of श्रेयस् see St. 58 *supra*. संदीप्ते—संदीप्त is more common than प्रादाप्त. प्रत्युद्यमः—Split up into प्रति and उद्यमः. प्रति governs the accusative कूपखननम्. कीदृशः—“is an idiomatic expression; *comp*: the English, what shall we say to, what should we think of, such a thing”—*Telang*. *Comp*: Maráthi expression “ घराला आग लागल्यावर कुवा खोदावयाचा ”.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Strenuous effort should be made by a wise person for the welfare of his soul while this corporeal tenement is healthy and happy, while old age is afar off, while the power of the senses is unimpaired and while life is not on the ebb. What is the use of undertaking to dig a well when the house is on fire ?

LXXXIX.

Notes and Explanation—वादिचृन्ददम०—वादिनां वृन्दं दमयतीति वादिचृ०—नी. करिकुम्भ०—करिणां अर्थात् अरिगजानां कुम्भपीठानि गण्डस्थलानि, तेषां दलनैः विदारणैः. नाकं=स्वर्गम्. कान्ता०—कान्तायाः

कोनकपत्रव इव चः अधरः, तस्य रसः. तारुण्यं--Krishna Sháastree says
तारुण्यमित्युपलक्षणं सर्वे जीवितमित्यर्थः ।

Alankára—काव्यलिङ्ग. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Knowledge befitting the well-conducted and capable of silencing hosts of disputants in this world has not been acquired, fame has not been exalted to heaven by shattering the vast temples of elephants by the point of the sword, nor has the juice of the tender sprout-like lower lip of our beloved been sucked by us at the rising of the moon. Alas! our youth has passed off fruitlessly like a lamp burning in an empty house.

XC.

Notes and Explanation—मानम०—मान = Haughtiness. वि-
विकं=Solitary, lovely. विविकौ पूतविजनौ *Amar.* यमिनां=जितेन्द्रि-
याणाम्. विमुक्तये=मोक्षाय.

Alankára—व्याघात and अर्थान्तरन्यास.

Metre—वंशस्थ.

Translation—In the case of the good, knowledge serves to destroy feelings such as conceit, vanity &c.; in the case of some it is the producer of vanity and conceit. A retired spot serves to secure emancipation to those who have controlled their senses but proves the cause of intensifying the excitement of those who are smitten by passions.

XCI.

Notes and Explanation—एव—We think एव goes better
with स्वहृदये. तद्यौवनं—तत् = प्रसिद्धं (विद्वत्सादिसुखजनकं). The
reading यातं च तद्यौवनं is better than यातं जरां यौवनम्. वन्ध्यफ-

लतां=निष्कलत्वं. For the first two lines cf. Stanza 2 *supra*. युक्तं= Proper. कृतान्तः=कृतः अन्तः येन सः. अक्षमी=Unforgiving, unrelenting. हा ज्ञातं—हा=Ah ! woe me. It shows grief for non-fulfilment of the desired things described in the first three lines. Mr. Telang reads हाज्ञातं (हि+आ+ज्ञातं) where हि is redundant, आ by itself being taken स्मरणे as he suggests. In our reading also, आ can be taken out of हा. स्मरं—स्मरं शास्तीति स्मरशासनः शिवः, तस्याद्विगुलं. मुक्त्वा—See note on the same Stanza 81.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Desires have wasted in our own heart, and the [pleasure-giving] youth has departed : alas ! all our qualities remaining in ourselves have proved barren for lack of admirers. What should be done ? powerful and unrelenting Death—the all-destroyer—suddenly comes on. Woe me ! oh I see, now there is no other alternative left except (resorting to) the feet of the punisher of Cupid (Shiva).

XCII.

Notes and Explanation—तृषा—Ins. Sing. of तृष् = thirst. शुष्यति—Loc. Sing. of शुष्यत Pre. Part. from शुष्. कवलयति=भक्षयति. शाकादि०—बलित=(mostly संवलित) mixed with. बलित=बेष्टित—Krishna Shāstri. प्रतीकारो व्याधेः सुखमिति वि०—“ People misunderstand the mere cure of pain as itself a pleasure ”—Telang. विपर्यस्यति=Thinks wrongly, misunderstands.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—A person drinks sweet and fragrant water when the mouth has become parched with thirst ; when tortured with hunger he partakes of rice together with vegetables and condiments ; when fired with amative feeling he tightly embraces his wife : people misunderstand the cure of pain as pleasure itself.

XCIII.

Notes and Explanation—ध्येये—ध्यातुं योग्ये (त्वयि). क्षिति-
धर०—क्षितिधरस्य पर्वतस्य यत् कुहरं दरी, तस्मिन् यः प्रावा पाषाणः, स एव
पर्यङ्कः, तस्य मूले. We do not see the propriety of मूले here. आत्मा०—
आत्मनि (स्वस्वरूपे) आरमतीति or आत्मनि आरामः (क्रीडा) यस्य सः .
सम०—समं करचरणं (पाणिपादं) यस्य, तस्मिन् (पुंसि). On this
Rāmarshi writes समकरचरणो हि पुमान् धनवान् भवतीति सामुद्रिके प्रसि-
द्धम् । मत्स्यांकितचरणो हि पुमान् धनवान् भवतीत्यपि । The latter alterna-
tive meaning can be acquired from the phrase by dissolving it
as समकरौ (मकरेण सहितौ) चरणौ यस्य सः पुंसि सेवासमुत्थं—
पुंसि goes with सेवा only and therefore it is an एकदेशी अन्वय.
पुंसि या सेवा, तस्याः सकाशात् समुत्थं समुत्पन्नम्. Messrs. Telang and
Kāle read the last line as दुःखान्मोक्षये कदाहं तव चरणरतो ध्यानमार्गे-
कप्रभः ; but this breaks the metre and does not give a good
sense.

Metre—अग्नधरा.

Translation—Oh enemy of Love ! when shall I, with my
soul at peace, living on fruits and obedient to the words of the
preceptor and seated on a couch of stone in the hollow of a
mountain after bathing in the waters of the Ganges and wor-
shipping you, Oh Lord ! with pure flowers and fruits and con-
centrating my mind on you as the fittest object for it, be
liberated from the pain arising from serving a master having
limbs just like myself.

XCIV.

Notes and Explanation—ननु=निश्चयेन. क्षितिरुहां=वृक्षाणाम्.
येषां नैर्झ०—नैर्झरं=निर्झरसंबन्धि. येषां नैर्झरं अम्बु, उचितं पानं = Whose
proper drink is spring water. रत्यै=प्रीत्यै. The dative in the

sence of तादर्थ्यं. विद्याङ्गना—अङ्गना=(प्रशस्तं अङ्गं यस्याः सा-अङ्गात्क-
स्याणैः नः) A beautiful woman. See Pānini V. II. 100. विद्यैव
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अङ्गना विद्याङ्गना. Krishna Shāstri takes these two words sepa-
rately and explains “विद्यैव येषां रत्यै अङ्गना स्त्री, स्त्रीवत्सुखदेत्यर्थः”.
In the third line, Mr. Telang reads निर्भर for नैर्भर and रत्यैव for
रत्यै च, which do not give a good meaning and are not easy to
explain. In the latter case, he supposes that र might be a
mislection for स. (येषां विद्यैव सती अङ्गना). परमेश्वराः—Cf. ईश्वर
St. 59 *supra*. सेवाञ्जलिः—सेवार्यः अब्जलिः सेनाब्जलिः.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—I look upon those persons to be supreme
lords, who have never raised their hands to their heads
in supplication, whose bed is a mountain-stone, whose
habitation is a cave in a mountain, whose clothes are the barks
of trees, whose companions are the antelopes, whose subsistence
is verily on delicious fruits of trees, whose favourite drink is
fresh water from streams and to whom learning proves a
delightful companion.

XCV.

Notes and Explanation—त्रिलोकीसः—त्रयाणां लोकानां समा-
हारत्रिलोकी. सरित्=A river. त्रिलोकीसरित्=The river that flows
through the three worlds i. e. the Ganges. हरशिरश्चुम्बिनी—
नीवि or नीवी=A garment worn round a woman's waist or (more
properly the knot of the wearing garment). नीवी परिपणं स्त्रीणां
कटीवन्ननिबन्धने *Medi*. छटा=Lustre, splendour. See *Māg* : VIII. 38.
हरस्य शिरश्चुम्बति तच्छीला हरशि०—नी, तथाविधा नीविच्छटा यस्यास्तस्याम्.
One of the commentaries renders नीविच्छटा by काञ्चीप्रदेशः.
Krishna Shāstri says नीव्याः स्त्रीकटिवन्ननिबन्धनस्य काञ्च्या इति यावत्।

छटा कान्तिर्यस्यास्तस्याम्. Mr. Kāle translates गीविछटा as the border of whose garment &c. We are not aware of छटा meaning 'border'. It is a well-known fact that the Ganges has made her abode on the head of Siva. Cf. भवन्तु त्वङ्गन्तो हरशिरसि गाङ्गाः पुनरमी तरङ्गाः प्रोत्सङ्गा दुरितभरभङ्गाय भवताम् ॥ *Gangālahari*; also शिरः शार्व स्वर्गात् St. 10. (Niti :). सद्गति—श्रुति, See Stanzas 59 and 94 &c. कल्प०—कल्पयन्ती=Furnishing. तटवि०—बिटपिन्=A tree. Messrs. Telang and Kāle read बटविटपमवेः, but तट is better than बट as there is no necessity of mentioning a special tree like बट, and the fruit of it, too, is not much useful in eating. Trees in general yielding good fruit are meant here and the word तट shows their being near at hand. Cf. क्षितिरुहां श्रुतिः फलैः कोमलैः St. 94, and तरुभ्यः सरसफलभृतो धत्कलिन्यश्च शाखाः St. 60 &c. विप-सिज्वर०—विपसिरेव ज्वरः, तेन जनिता या रुक्, तया. This phrase goes with अतीव दुःखासिकानां. Some take it with दुःस्थे in the fourth line, while others with वीक्षेत. अतीव—modifies दुःख which is an adjective. दुःखासिकानां—(1) आस्ते आसु ताः आसिकाः स्थितयः; दुःखाश्च ताः आसिकाश्च दुःखासिकाः=painful circumstances. (2) If we take दुःख as a noun, we may analyse it अल्पाः असयः असिकाः small swords; दुःखानि असिका इव, दुःखासिकाः. The phrase को विद्वान् दुःखासिकानां बभूवं वीक्षेत figuratively means 'what wise man would face the trying circumstances? Mr. Telang reads दुःस्वासिकानां, but himself says "दुःस्वासिका and दुःखास्विका are rendered by नारी in the respective commentaries. I cannot say what they mean." For the idea, Cf. St. 8 *supra*. दुःस्थे—दुःस्थं=दुःखेन तिष्ठतीति, poor, miserable, distressed.

Metre—अगधरा.

Translation— Whilst there is the river, which flows through the three worlds, the sparkling lustre of whose waist-garment touches the head of Shiva, which furnishes pure

livelihood and dress by means of sweet fruits and barks of trees on its banks, what wise man would face trying circumstances painful on account of the pangs of poverty, if he had no compassion for his distressed family.

XCVI.

Notes and Explanation—In the first three lines, there is उद्देश्यविधेयभाव in every sentence. यस्यां तीव्रादितिभिं सपः, उद्यानेषु विचित्रभोजनविधिः = Where the most rigorous penance is just like varied dinners given in gardens. Some take the two expressions as separate but it destroys प्रक्रम and besides there is no propriety of garden parties in the case of an ascetic. कौपीना०—आव्रियते अनेनेति आवरणं आच्छादकं वस्त्रं; कौपीनस्य (गुणस्य) आवरणं कौ०-वरणम्. अमितं भि० = “ (Where) roaming for alms over an immeasurable distance is a glory”. आसन्नं = समीपस्थं. हन्त—is used here खेदे. किं=Why. Some take it as a question implying the negative answer अन्यत्र स्थीयते किम् ? अपि तु नैत्यर्थः

Metre—शारदुलविक्रोडित.

Translation—Alas ! why do the wise live elsewhere than in the city of Banāras, where the most austere penance is just like a varied feast in a garden, where a strip of cloth is prized as a rich garment, where traversing long distances for alms is a glory in itself, and where imminent death is looked upon as an occasion for joy.

XCVII.

Notes and Explanation—नायं ते समयः &c. are the excuses generally put forward by door-keepers at the doors of the rich. अयं ते समयः न = This is not the time for you (to see

the master). अधुना रहस्यं=Now confidential matters are going on. Mr. Telang takes it to mean ' Now [is the time to be in] private i. e. to be alone. Krishna Shâstri takes रहस्यं as an adverb modifying निद्राति. यदि—construe यदि प्रभुः स्थित्वा द्रक्ष्यति कुप्यति. Perhaps द्रक्ष्यसि would have been better. कुप्यति is here equal to कोपिष्यति. After वचः, श्रूयते should be supplied. चेतः is voc. sing. विश्वेशि०—इष्टे ऽसौ ईशिता = The ruler. विश्वस्य ईशिता, तस्य. निर्दोवारि०—निर्गताः दोवारिकाणां निर्दयोक्तव्यः यस्मात्, तत् निर्दोवा०—यांकि, अतएव अपरुषं. The two as a compound or separately. निःसीम०—निःसीम=Unbounded. शर्म=Happiness, शर्मशातमुखानि च Amar. निःसीमं शर्म प्रकर्षेण ददातीति.

For a similar idea see Dryden :—

“ Repulsed by surly grooms, who wait before
The sleeping tyrant's interdicted door ”.

Alankâra—परिकर. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Oh heart ! leaving those at whose doors are heard such words as “ this is not the time for you (to see the master) ”, “ now he is in private ”, “ the master is asleep ” ; “ if he were to see you waiting he will get angry ”, go to the abode of that lord who is the ruler of the universe—an abode which gives unlimited felicity, and whose doors are free from all harsh words of the guards.

XCVIII.

Notes and Explanation—प्रियसख—See note on प्रियैश्च सलिलैः St. 59 *supra*. विपद्दण्ड०—विपदेव दण्डः, तस्य प्रान्तस्य प्रयातपरंपरायाः परिचयेन चलतीति विपद्०—चलं, तस्मिन्. Mr. Telang reads दण्ड-प्रातप्रताप, but दण्डप्रान्तप्रयात is more natural and casier विधिः खलः= Wicked destiny. अत्र=अस्मिन् संसारे.

Alankâra—उपमा. *Metre*—हरिणी.

Translation—Dear friend ! wicked destiny, having per force formed our mind into a lump like that of clay by a clever potter, causes it to revolve round and round by placing it on the wheel of anxiety which is turned round by a series of strokes from the end of a rod in the form of adversity : we do not know what more will destiny bring about in this world.

XCIX.

Notes and Explanation—महेश्वरे = शिवे. जगतां = of the worlds which are fourteen in number. See Stanza 23 *supra*. जनार्दने=विष्णौ. तयोः refers to महेश्वर and जनार्दन, and the locative is construed with भेद. भेदप्रति०—प्रतिपत्तिः=ज्ञानम्. प्रतिपत्तिः प्रवृत्ती च प्रागल्भ्ये गौरवेऽपि च ॥ संप्राप्ती च प्रबोधे च पदप्राप्ती च यौचिति *Medi* : तयोर्न भेद &c. = I have no idea of a difference between them. तरुणे०—तरुणः इन्दुः (=इन्दुकला) शेखरे यस्य, तस्मिन्.

Metre— वंशस्थ.

Translation—I have no idea of a difference between the two gods Shiva the lord of the universe and Vishnu the inmost Spirit of the universe. However, my devotion is towards the one in whose crest there is the crescent moon.

C.

Notes and Explanation—कन्दर्पः=(Voc. sing.) मदन. It is thus derived:—कं दर्पयामीति मदाज्जातमाश्रो जगाद् च ॥ तेन कन्दर्पनामानं तं चकार चतुर्भुजः ॥ करं कदर्थयसि किं=Why do you trouble your hand ? कोदण्डटङ्कारितैः—With the twanging sounds of the bow. Mr. Telang reads टङ्कारवैः (टङ्क+आरव, टमिति शब्दं कायतीति टङ्कः), but टङ्कारित is more usual and better. कलरवैः = अव्यक्तमधुरध्व-

निभिः. **स्निग्धविद्**—**स्निग्ध**=Affectionate. **विदग्ध**=Skilful, artful. **मुग्ध**=Charming, beautiful. **मधुर**=Sweet. **चुम्बित**—**चुम्बित** should be taken with **चरण** or **अमृत**. **चुम्बितौ** (**विषयीकृतौ**) यौ **चन्द्रचूडस्य** **चरणौ**, तयोः **ध्यानमेवामृतं** यस्मिन् तत् or **चुम्बितं चन्द्रचूडचरणध्यानामृतं** येन, तत् (**चेतः**). One might dissolve it **चुम्बितो चन्द्रो** यया, **तारणी चूडा** यस्य, तस्य **चरणयोः** &c., but in this **चुम्बित** has no propriety, the desired sense of **चुम्बितचन्द्रचूड** being acquired by **चन्द्रचूड** only (**चन्द्रः चूडायौ** यस्य सः). For the third line Cf. St. 66 *supra*.

Alankāra—**परिकर**. *Metre*—**शार्दूलविकीरित**.

Translation—Why doest thou, oh God of Love ! give pain to thy hand with the twangings of thy bow ? Why doest thou, Oh Cuckoo ! chatter in vain in soft and sweet tones ? Oh young woman ! enough with thy sportive glances which are endearing, artful, charming and delightful ; since my mind is full of nectar in the form of contemplation of the feet of that Divinity who has the moon in his crest.

CI.

Notes and Explanation—**कौपीनं**=A small piece of cloth (usually a small strip) worn over the privities. **कूपतनमर्हति कौपीनं पापम्** । तत्साधनत्वात्तद्द्रोष्यत्वात्पुरुषलिङ्गमपि तत्सबन्धात्तदाच्छादनमपि *Sidd : Kau : on Pānini V. II. 20.* **शतस्र**—**शतं** (*Lit : a*

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hundred but *figu* : several, a good many) **खण्डानि**, तैः **जर्जरतरम्**. **भैक्षं**—*See* St. 52. **मित्रा**—**मित्रामित्रयोः** समानता समभावः. **पशुपतेश्चिन्ता**—Contemplation of God Shiva. For **पशुपति**, *See* note Niti : St. 10. **अथ** is समुच्चये. **शून्यालये** = In a secluded place. Mr. Telang reads **अतिविमला चिन्तातिशून्यालये** and suggests to take **अतिविमला** either with **मित्रा**—ता or with **चिन्ता**. Our reading is easier and gives a clearer view, the object of contemplation

being expressed. ध्वस्ताशेषः—(1) ध्वस्तौ निरस्तौ यौ अशेषमद-
प्रमादौ (अशेषः मदः गर्वः, प्रमादः अनवधानता च), ताभ्यां मुदितः हर्षितः
or (2) ध्वस्ताः अशेषाः मदप्रमादाः (मदश्च प्रमादाश्च मदप्रमादाः or मदाप्र-
मादाः) यस्य, स चासौ मुदितश्च.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—An ascetic, delighted at having set aside all errors arising from arrogance, lives happily—(with his) strip of cloth worn out thread-bare, with a quilt to match, with his meal consisting of nothing but what is easily obtained by begging and for which no anxiety has to be borne—sleeping in a cemetery or a forest having the same regard for friend or foe and contemplating on god Shiva in a secluded place.

CII.

Notes and Explanation—भङ्गवृत्तयः=of a transient nature बहुविधाः—बह्व्यः or बहवः विधाः (प्रकाराः) येषां, ते. तैरेव चायं भवः= And this worldly life is constituted of them only. तत्=Therefore, then. कस्येह is better than कस्यैव. परिभ्रमत—Mark the idiomatic use of the imperative. तत्कस्य कृते परिभ्रमत = For what, then, should you wander ? The construction is common in such expressions as ' किं स वत्सः करोतु ', ' किं ते प्रियं करवाणि ' ? &c. परिभ्रमथ, which is found in a few copies would mean ' Why do you wander '? कृतं=(inde.) Enough with. It governs the instrumental. आशापाशः—आशायाः पाशाः, तेषां शतानि, तेषां उपशान्त्या विशदं (निर्मलं). समाधीयतां=Concentrate. कामोच्छिद्यः—कामानां संकल्पानां उच्छिद्यन्त्या नाशेन बध्ने अधीने. See St. 34 supra. स्वधामनि = स्वाधिष्ठाने=स्वप्रकाशे आत्मनि. Com: न तद्भासयते सूर्यो न शशाङ्को न पावकः ॥ यद्गत्वा न निवर्तन्ते तद्दाम परमं मम ॥ Bhag: Gītā. XV.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Enjoyments are numerous and they are of a transient nature and this worldly life consists solely of them; then, Oh people! what for should you roam about here? Enough with your exertions in that direction. If you have faith in our word concentrate your mind, purified by the breaking of hundreds of bonds in the form of desires, within its own dwelling which can be attained by the rooting out of passions.

CIII.

Notes and Explanation—ज्योतिः परं=ब्रह्म. शकुनाः = Birds. भङ्गेशयाः=(An अलुक्समास) भङ्गे (उत्सङ्गे) शेरते ते भङ्गेशयाः मनोरथोपरचितप्रा०—मनोरथे or मनोरथेन उपरचितः यः प्रासादः, तस्य बाण्याः तटे यत् क्रीडार्थं काननं, तस्मिन् केस्याः कौतुकं जुषन्तीति मनो०—जुषः, तेषाम् or प्रासादश्च बापीतटं च क्रीडाकाननं च प्रासाद०—काननानि; मनोरथेन उपरचितानि प्रासाद०—काननानि, तेषु &c. मनोरथोपरचितप्रासाद &c. = “ A palace &c. built in the mind i. e. building castles in the air ”.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Birds fearlessly perch on the laps of those blessed persons who dwell in a mountain-cave meditating on the Supreme Light and drink the tears of joy flowing from their (blessed persons') eyes: as for us, our life is being wasted away, (as) we enjoy the pleasure of sports in parks adjoining the reservoirs near palaces reared up by our imagination.

CIV.

Notes and Explanation—माघातं=आक्रान्तम्. It should be construed with every expression except that in the last line. विद्युच्चलं यौवनं—breaks the symmetry of the Stanza, as this is the only place in the verse where an adjectival phrase

(विदुषलं) has been used. धनलिप्सया=धनस्य लिप्सा (लब्धुमिच्छा), तया. प्रौढा०—विभ्रम=Amorous actions or graceful movements. व्यालैः=सर्पैः. अस्थैर्येण=By inconstancy or instability विभूतयः=ऐश्वर्याणि. उपहताः is a better reading than अपहताः. The words आघात, उपहत and प्रस्त in the Stanza have nearly the same meaning. Krishna Shāstri reads अस्थैर्येण धृतिजगत्यपहता &c.

Alankāra—तुल्ययोगिता. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Birth is subject to death; youth unsteady like lightning to old age; contentment to covetousness of riches; the pleasure of tranquility is disturbed by the graceful movements of young women; virtues have to submit to envious people; forests are infested by serpents; kings are influenced by the wicked; even affluence is affected by instability; what, then, is there that is not overpowered by something else.

CV.

Notes and Explanation—आधिष्याधि०—आधि=Mental pain or anxiety. व्याधि=Bodily pain or disease. आधयश्च व्याधयश्च, तेषां शतैः. Construe the second line यत्र लक्ष्मीः, तत्र विवृतद्वारा इव व्यापदः पतन्ति. विवृतद्वाराः—विवृतं द्वारमाभ्य इति विवृतद्वाराः or विवृतं द्वारं यासां ताः Com. *Kumār*: IV. 26. व्यापदः=विबिधाः आपदः; आपदः is the usual expression. जातं जातं = Every born being. आत्मसात् करोति=Takes in his possession. The Taddhita affix सात् is added to a word to show that something is completely changed into the thing expressed by that word or that it is left at the complete disposal or control of that thing. It is used with the roots कृ, भू, अस् and सं+पद्. See *Pāṇini* V. iii. 53. 54. Com.: भस्मसाकृतवतः 2124-2125

पितृद्विषः, पात्रसाद्य वसुधां ससागराम् ॥ *Raghu*. XI. 86. तर्त्तिक नाम &c.=

"And what indeed is there which unbridled destiny has created

well-constituted " *Telang*. Comparé for the construction
तत्को नाम गुणी भवन्ति गुणिनी यौ दुर्जनैरहितः *Niti*: 54.

Alankāra—प्रतिवस्तूपमा. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Health of man is undermined by hundreds of mental and bodily troubles of various sorts, misfortunes rush in through open doors as it were, where there is wealth; death quickly brings under its sway every created being, as it is powerless to resist it. What indeed is there which unbridled destiny has created well-placed!

CVI.

Notes and Explanation—कुरुहेण = With difficulty. अमे-
ध्य०—अमेध्यं=(Lit:) not fit for sacrifice, hence impure matters.
अमेध्यं (विष्मृतादि) मध्ये यस्य तस्मिन्. नियमितत०—नियमित=cramp-
ped, compressed, pent up. गर्भवासे—वसति भस्मिमिति वासः वसति-
स्यानं, गर्भस्य वासः गर्भवासः गर्भाशयः, तस्मिन्. The reading गर्भवासे
avoids the repetition of the word मध्य. कान्ता वि०—कान्तायाः
विश्लेषेण (वियोगेन) यदुःखं तस्य व्यतिकरेण (संकम्पेन मिश्रणेन वा) विषमं,
तस्मिन्=Painful through the distraction arising from the grief
of separation from one's beloved. विप्रयोगः=Separation. In
the second line the words विश्लेष and विप्रयोग have nearly the
same meaning, so the reading कान्तावि०—विषमो र्यदमे चापभोगः
should be preferred. नारीमिवशा—(The genitive used in the
sense of an agent)=नारीकर्तृका अवशा. अपि—gives force to the
expression. It includes the other family members, atten-
dants &c. Construe the third line यत्र नारीणामप्यवशा निवर्त विलसति,
सं वृद्धमौल्यसिधुः.

Metre—संग्रहरी.

Translation—Man has to stay, with difficulty with the
limbs pent up in the womb, in the midst of impure matters;

there is separation in youth which becomes painful on account of the distraction arising from the grief consequent on one's parting from his beloved ; old age too is undesirable, since at that period even the wife evinces a positive refractory temper. Ah ! men, say if there is even a particle of happiness in this worldly life.

CVII.

Notes and Explanation— तस्यार्धस्य परस्य चार्धमपरं—

this can be interpreted in two ways. (1) construction:—तस्य सार्धद्वादशसंख्याकं अर्धं परस्य अर्धं च अपरं अर्धं बालत्ववृद्धत्वयोर्गतं=तस्य (रात्रौ यावत् गतं तत्कालं i. e. of 50 years) अर्धस्य अर्धं (12½ years) बालत्वे गतं Half of the half of that which passes in the night, goes away in childhood and तस्य परस्य अर्धस्य च अपरं अर्धं वृद्धत्वे गतं = and the last half of the other half of the same (50 years) is spent in old age. This view is supported by Krishna Shāstri whose commentary on this runs thus:—“ तस्य पञ्चमस्तस्यैव तस्यैव अर्धं सार्धद्वादशसंख्याकं पूर्वार्धं परस्य पञ्चमस्तस्यैव तस्यैव तस्यैव सार्धद्वादशसंख्याकं बालत्ववृद्धत्वयोर्गतम् ”. (2) construction:—तस्य सप्तदश अर्धस्य च अपरमर्धं बालत्ववृद्धत्वयोर्गतं = तस्य (अन्युषः) परस्य (सत्रिंशत्तर्ष-तरस्य) अर्धस्य अर्धं (25 years) बालत्ववृद्धत्वयोर्गतं The half of the other half (other than the one passed in the night) of the whole life passes away in both childhood and old age. This view is simpler and Mr. Telang supports it ; but अस्य has no propriety here though it may be said to have some in the first interpretation. Perhaps it may be taken here as an adverb in the sense of ‘ secondly, in addition to ’, and may be construed as रात्रौ तद्वर्धं गतं, अपरं, तस्य परमर्धं &c.=In the first place half the life passes in the night, and secondly or in addition to that &c. शेषं—The remaining middle portion of life consisting of twenty-five years. व्याख्येयं—व्याधिविषमदुःखः= “ The pains of illness and separation. ” जीवे=जीविते. जीवोऽस्मी जीविने पुंसि इति त्रिकाण्डशेषः.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

*Translation—*The life of man is limited to one hundred years ; half of it passes in night and out of the other half one half is passed in childhood and old age ; the remainder which is full of troubles, illness and separation is spent in servitude &c. What happiness, then, can mortals have in their life which is more uncertain than a ripple (on the surface) of water ?

CVIII.

Notes and Explanation—ब्रह्मज्ञानविवेकिनः—ब्रह्मज्ञानात् विवेकः अस्ति एषां ते "Those who possess the discrimination (i. e. between things real and unreal) which results from the knowledge of Brahma" *Telang.* *अमलधियः—अमल धीर्येषां ते. उपभोगवन्ति=* Yielding pleasures or enjoyments. Some read उपभोगकाञ्चनधनानि, but काञ्चन and धन are nearly the same, hence the reading उपभोगवन्ति has been adopted. *एकान्ततो निःस्पृहाः=* Absolutely free from all desires. See note on निस्पृह Stanza 24. *न च प्राप्नोति दृढप्रत्ययः=* "No strong belief in their attainment." *Kale.* *वाञ्छामात्रप०—वाञ्छा एव वाञ्छामात्रं, तेन परिग्रहो येषां, तानि.* "Seized only by imagination" *Kale.* *परं=केवलम्.* It should be construed with वाञ्छामात्रप०.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

*Translation—*What wonder ! persons of pure intelligence possessing discrimination which results from the knowledge of Brahma, perform a very difficult task, inasmuch as they cast off riches although contributing to all enjoyments with perfect indifference ; while, these riches were not gained by us hitherto-fore, nor now, nor is there any strong confidence as to their acquisition (in the future), and though they are grasped only by our imagination, still we are not able to abandon them.

CIX.

Notes and Explanation—परितर्जयन्तो= Threatening, menacing. प्रहरन्ति देहम्—देहे would be more idiomatic as प्र+हृ is mostly used with locative. *Com*: तस्मिन् प्रजन्हुर्यधि सर्व एव. *Raghu* VII. 59. न प्रहर्तुमनागसि *Shaku*: I. 11. See however, Dashakumar: बाणवर्षे तदङ्गे विमुञ्चन्नातीन् प्राहरम्. परिस्त्रवति = dribbles, passes away. भिन्नघटात्=From a cracked jar. लोकः अहितमाचरति= People do injury to themselves, or lead an evil life.

Alankāra—उपमा. *Metre*—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—Old age stands in a menacing attitude like a tigress; diseases assault the body like enemies; life passes away like water from a cracked jar and yet, it is a wonder that man leads an evil life.

CX.

See Niti: St. 92. अहहेत्यद्भुते. कष्टमिति खेदे.

CXI.

Notes and Explanation—लालायते=लालावदिवाचरति. See note on जलायते Niti: St. 189. Here the word लाला=लालावत् having लाला). नाद्रियते=आद्रियते is 3rd P. Sing from आ+हृ Atin. 6th Con.). Does not heed or care for, does not take notice of न शुश्रूषते=Does not serve (him). हा कष्टं = Alas! Ah! जीर्णवयसः=जीर्ण वयो यस्य सः जीर्णवयाः, तस्य. अमित्रायते=अमित्र इवाचरति. For the last line compare हा कष्टं जरयाभिभूतपुरुषः पुत्रैरवशायते *Pt*: IV. 78.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—(In old age) the body is shrivelled, the steps fail, the set of teeth is lost, sight becomes dim, deafness

increases, the mouth dribbles saliva, relatives do not respect word, the wife does not take care. Alas! even the son of a decrepit old man hates him.

CXII.

Notes and Explanation—**कामरसिकः**—कामेव रसिकः Taking pleasure in enjoyments. **संपूर्णविभवः**—संपूणे विभवः (ऐश्वर्यं) यस्य सः. **वलीमण्डितवङ्गः**—वली= Wrinkles. वलीभिः मण्डिता तनुयस्या **संसारान्ते**=At the end of this worldly life. **यमधानीजवनिकां**—यमधानी=यमनगरी, सैव जवनिका तिरस्करिणी curtain. जवनिका विसृति= goes behind the curtain. The comparison of man with an actor made throughout the stanza is very impressive. As an actor, having acted several parts on the stage retires behind the curtain, so man, after performing several parts in life on the stage of this world retires behind the seat of Death.

Alankāra—उक्थय. *Metre*—शिशिरिणी.

Translation—Becoming a child for a moment, then for a while a youth taking delight in enjoyments, for a time destitute of wealth and for a short space in full splendour, man with limbs worn out through old age and the body covered with wrinkles disappears after his worldly life in the regions of death like an actor retiring behind the drop-scene.

CXIII.

Notes and Explanation—**शरी**—शरि=A serpent. **समन्वितं**—breaks the symmetry, there being no adjective to any noun among the pairs expressed. **लोहं**—लोहः=लोहः=A gold, a lump of earth. **कौण**—कौण=कौण+नन् (न) collection of women, the female sex. *Comp* : इदं सत्प्रत्युपगमति कौणमिति सदुच्यते *Sha* : Y. **यमद्वाराः**—

समा दृश्यस्य, तस्य. यान्तु—The reading यान्तु is better than यान्ति, the imperative showing 'hope' or 'expectation'.

Metre—शिशिरिणी.

Translation—Let my days pass in muttering Shiva, Shiva, Shiva, in some holy forest with one singleness of view in regard to a serpent or a garland, a powerful enemy or a friend, a jewel or a clod of earth, a bed of flowers or a stone, (tall) grass or a bevy of damsels.



वैराग्यशतक.

MISCELLANEOUS.

STANZA I.

Notes and Explanation—अकिञ्चनस्य—अकिञ्चनः=नास्ति किञ्चन यस्य सः (मयूरव्यंसकादिसमास) = Without anything, penniless. दान्त= self-restrained. समचे०—समं चेतो यस्य, तस्य. सुखमयाः— is not grammatically correct. सुखमय्यः is a correct form but it breaks the metre. Words having the affix मयद् (मय) at their end, must drop their final 'm' by adding ई. See *Pāṇi*: I. vi. 15, 470

For an idea parallel to that in the stanza compare *Shaks. Othello*. " Poor but content is rich and rich enough".

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—All quarters are full of happiness to him, who possesses nothing, is self-restrained, is calm, preserves an equilibrium of the mind, and is always contented at heart.

II.

Notes and Explanation—अनावर्ती = न आवर्तते (परावर्तते) तच्छीलः. तन्न गणितं=You have not minded. दशास्तास्ताः= Various conditions. व्यसनश०—व्यसन = Difficulty. विधुर= Distressing. व्यसनानां शतानि, तेषां संपातेन विधुराः. किमिदं— See note on कोवा Niti: St. 32. construe त्वया आत्मनि किमिदं नापकृतम् ? (अपितु सर्वमपकृतमेवेत्यर्थः). बत=Alas! यावत्-तावत्=All that. तदेव= The same, which you did before. व्यचसितम्=कर्तुमारब्धं, कृतम्. See

Stanza 36. Mr. Telang seems to construe त्वया यावत्तदपकृतं तावत्त-
देव पुनरपि व्यवसितम् and translates the two lines as, "Alas! what
self-injury is there having done which to yourself you have not
immediately worked at the same again".

Metre—शिशिरिणी.

Translation—A thought has not been given (to the fact)
that time which never returns is passing away uselessly : those
numerous conditions which are distressful on account of the
befalling of hundreds of difficulties have been endured. What
else shall we say except (this)—Alas! what injury hast thou
not caused to thyself? you have been doing all the same over
and over again.

III.

Notes and Explanation—The adjectives in the first three
lines go with जठरपिठरी. अभिमतम्.—महामानः = great self-res-
pect or pride. पटीयसी=अतिशयेन पटुः पटीयसी Very sharp. अभिमतः
चः महामानः तस्य ग्रन्थेः प्रभेदे पटीयसी. गुरुतरगुणम्.—गुरुतर=Higher.
ग्रामम्=A collection. अम्भोजम्=A lotus that blooms at sunrise as
opposed to कुमुद which blooms at moonlight. अन्यम्भोजं निशायां
विकसति कुमुदं &c. *Sāhi: Dar:.* For the full explanation see our
note on पद्माकर &c. *Niti: St. 73.* चन्द्रिका=Moon-light. गुरुतराणां
गुणानां ग्रामम् एव अम्भोजानि, तेषां स्फुटां चासौ उज्ज्वला च चन्द्रिका. Two
classes of the lotus are known; the flower of one called कुमुद
opens out under the influence of moonlight but closes when
the sun rises while the अम्भोज blooms out under the sun. The
idea here is that the belly has the same deprement influence on
the virtues of a man that the moon-light has on the अम्भोज.

विपुलविम्—विपुलं यथा तथा बिलसन्ती या लज्जावल्ली, तस्याः विदारणे (वि-
दारणे) कुञ्चिका a diminutive from कुञ्चरं, hatchet. जठरपिठरी —

पिठरी=Pan, boiler. दुग्धपूरा=दुधेन पूर्यते सा. See *Pāṇini* III. iii. 126. 8305

The reading दुःपूरा is not correct. For the full explanation, see note on निष्केश Niti: St. 25. विडम्बनं = Mockery. 'Nothing noble can withstand the claims of the stomach'! For the idea See St. 8 *supra* or the following सुभाषित—

अपहरति महत्त्वं प्रार्थना किं न जाने जनयति गुरुलज्जामित्यहं किं न वेद्यि ॥
तदपि वद वदान्यं तं सदा प्रत्यहं मां जठरपिठरवतीं बन्धिररथीकरोति ॥

Alankāra—रूपक. *Metre*—हरिणी.

Translation—This boiler of a stomach which is difficult to be filled makes a mockery (of life); it is sharp in severing the tie of the highly valued sense of self-respect; it is like the refulgent moonlight to the collection of day-lotuses in the shape of the higher qualities; and it is like a hatchet to hew and hack modesty which is like a large lustrous creeper.

IV.

Notes and Explanation—अभ्रीमहि—Potential First Per. Plural from अश् to eat (9th: con). आशावासः—आशाः=दिशः, वासः=वस्त्रं. आशा एव वासः. वसीमहि—From वस् to cover with dress, to put on (2nd con.). कुर्वीमहि किमीश्वरैः=What have we to do with rich men (or great men) ?

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—We can subsist on alms, we can clothe ourselves with a garment in the form of the firmament and can sleep on the surface of the earth. What have we to do with the rich ?

V.

Notes and Explanation—गुरुं=Heavy. धनव०--धनेन वर्जित.

A poor man. तुष्णीम्= (Indecli.) Without speaking, silently.
तुष्णीं स्थितः=Remained silent.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Get up oh friend ! and bear the heavy load of poverty for a moment. I am now fatigued, so let me enjoy for a long time the happiness from death which thou hast. Thus was a corpse addressed by a penniless fellow who had hurried to the cemetery, but it remained silent as it was well aware that death was 'far far better than pennury'

VI.

See Nitishatak Misc. Stanza IV.

VII.

See Nitishatak Misc. Stanza V.

VIII.

Notes and Explanation—रागिषु — रागः अस्ति एषां, तेषु Among those that are attached to worldly pleasures. प्रियतमादे०—प्रियतमायाः (पार्वत्याः) दहस्य अर्थे हरति तच्छीलेः. Shiva and Párvati form together a single body, the right half of which is male and the left one, female, and therefore he is called अर्धनारीश्वरः. नीरागेषु=निर्गतः रागः येषां, तेषु Among those that have renounced worldly pleasures. न यस्मात्परः = 'To whom there is no superior'. दुर्वारस्म—व्याविद्ध = Smitten. मुग्ध = Stupefied, perplexed. दुर्वाराः ये स्मरणाः, ते एव पन्नगाः (सर्पाः) तेषां विषेण व्याविद्धः अतएव मुग्धः. शेषः=Other than शिव. क्षमः=समर्थः. Two contradictory qualities are hardly found in one place. They

are, however, to be met with in Shankar. He is said to have allowed the fullest latitude to the god of Love, so much so that he had his consort Párvati as one-half of his own body, but when he turned round, he had the firmness to burn Cupid. No one can claim this firmness of mind. The god of Love makes others dance to his tune; hence they can neither renounce the world nor fully enjoy it. प्रिय० &c. shows the devotedness of Shankar to his beloved and his being under the fullest influence of Love while विमुक्त &c. shows him in his other character as an ascetic who has renounced the world, while दुर्बल &c. indicates the want of firmness on the part of people at large to adhere to any particular state owing to the influence of Cupid.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—God Shiva who has his beloved as one half of his body, shines foremost among the passionate: as abandoning the company of his consort he has no superior among those who have renounced passions: while the world at large being stupified by the influence of the poison of the irresistible serpent-like arrows of Cupid is neither able to give up nor to fully enjoy material objects which are made the butts of ridicule by the God of Love.

IX.

Notes and Explanation—कार्यहेतोः = For some purpose. With words meaning 'cause', 'sake', 'reason', the genitive is used. Cf. विस्मृतं कस्य हेतोः *Mūdrá*. I. षष्ठी हेतुप्रयोगे *Pāṇini* II. iii. 26. कुलशीलसमन्वित = One possessed of noble birth

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and good character. श्मशानघटिकाः = Pots used at funeral ceremonies, unholy pots. This verse occurs in मृच्छकटिक with variations.

Alankāra—काव्यलिङ्ग. *Metre*—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—Women smile or weep with an object in view ; they get others to put faith in them but do not themselves do so ; they are, therefore, fit to be abandoned, like pots in a cemetery, by an individual of high birth and character.

X.

Notes and Explanation—वाराणस्यां—वाराणसी = Banāras. अमरतटिनीरोधसी=On the bank of the river Ganges. त्रिपुरहर-त्रयाणां पुराणां समाहारत्रिपुरं, तदरतीति त्रि०हरः, तत्संबुद्धौ. “ There were three cities of gold, silver and iron in the sky, air and earth built for demons by Māyā. These cities were burnt down along with the demons inhabiting them, by Shiva at the request of the gods ”—*Apte's Dic.* आक्रोशन् = crying out or calling out loudly.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—When shall I pass my days as if they were so many moments, residing on the banks of the celestial river in Banāras, covered with a strip of cloth and with folded hands raised to my forehead crying out—“ be kind, oh Gaurināth, Tripurhara, Shambhu, Trinayana ”.

XI.

Notes and Explanation—The reading च वदने in the 2nd line does not yield a good sense and requires straining. प्रवचने is better and easier. Mr. Telang's text gives मायाप्रयोगप्रिये which should be corrected to मायाप्रयोगः प्रिये and it omits गुणो after गणो in the fourth line which should be supplied. Our printer has erred in putting गुणा in the text which read गुणो.

कार्कश्य and the other corresponding words have here a double significance. We indicate below the double senses, first giving the bad quality implied by each epithet and secondly the expressed good quality, thus कार्कश्य=(1) Cruelty, sternness, (2) Hardness. तरलता=(1) Tremulousness. (2) Unsteadiness. मलीक=(1) Falsehood. (2) Forehead. कौटिल्य=(1) Crookedness, fraud, (2) Curliness. मान्यं=(1) Foolishness. (2) Softness (as in मन्द स्मित). स्थूलता=(1) Unwieldiness, sluggishness, (2) False-ness. भीरुत्वं=(1) Cowardice (2) Coyness. सदैव कथितं “corresponds to श्लाघ्यते” *Telang*. मायाप्रयोगः (1) Employment of wiles or fraud; (2) Enchantment, spreading a charm upon. त्रिके—त्रिकं the part about the hips पृष्ठवंशाधरे त्रिकम् *Amar*. “This Stanza” as Rev: Wortham rightly observes “is one containing a play upon words throughout. The epithets which are used in a complimentary sense, referring to a woman’s external form” are clearly expressed but they are intended to imply bad qualities “as applied to mental characteristics” or general conduct of women and this is the idea which runs as an under-current. The exact beauty of such verses having phrases conveying double meaning can only be adequately realised by retaining the double-meaningful words in the translation.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Women can be dear only to the brutes to whom their defects—hardness of the chest, unsteadiness of the eye, falsehood in the mouth all of which are praised, crookedness of the hair, dulness in speech unwieldiness of the hips, cowardice of the heart which is prized, employment of wiles towards the beloved—appear as so many good qualities.

XII.

Notes and Explanation—वीणावाद्यं—Krishna Shāstri reads

वीणावादः; perhaps better as opposed to रुदितम्. विद्वद्गोष्ठी—
 गोष्ठी has two meanings (1) conversation (2) an assembly.
 The former is preferable here as opposed to सुरा० - कलहः.
 सुरा०—सुरया मत्ताः, तेषां कलहः. गलत्कु०—गलत्कुष्टं वपुर्वेषां ते or
 व्यसां ताः.

Alankāra—संदेह. Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—In some places, there is playing on the Veena, in others there are wailings of lamentation; in some places there are learned conversations, while in others there are drunken brawls; in some places there are pretty damsels, while in others there are those whose bodies are covered with flowing leprous sores. Under these circumstances, I do not know whether worldly life is sweet like nectar or bitter like poison.

XIII.

Notes and Explanation—विकलः = Defective, deformed.
 चटुं—चटुः or चटु=Sweet or coaxing speech, flattery. चाटुः or
 चाटु also means the same thing. Cf. चाटुशतैश्च भुङ्क्ते Niti : St. 31.
 अयं—Mark the idiomatic use of the pronoun इदम्. प्रहसनस्य—
 प्रहसन is one of the ten Rūpakās thus defined :—माणवसंधिसंध्यं-
 गलास्यांगाकैर्विनिर्मितम् ॥ भवेत् प्रहसनं वृत्तं निन्यानां कविकल्पितम् ॥ *Sāhi. Dar.*
 पलितक०—पलित=Grey-haired. Cf. अंगं गलितं पलितं मुण्डम् *Shan-*
karāchārya. कर्णौ एव कर्णकौ, पलितौ (no necessity of taking
 पलितयुतौ as Mr. Kāle does). कर्णकौ भजतीति पलि० - भाक्, तम्.
 एनम्—Should be construed with तम्; तमेनं त्वाम्. Perhaps तं त्वां
 would have been sufficient. नटयिष्यति— (cau : from नट्) =
 Will make you dance or play, दीर्घमायुः=“ Old age ” *Telang.*
 This stanza occurs in Anar. Rāghav.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—Here hast thou, who art defective in limbs and speech, been now made the clown in a comedy while flattering the rich : what part will long life cause thee to play further in this condition of thine with thy ears covered with grey hair.

XIV.

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XV.

Notes and Explanation—जीवितयौवनम्—जीवितं च यौवनं च, तयोः समाहारः. But we have already चलः प्राणाः, so Mr. Telang explains it as 'youth in life' (जीविते यौवनम्) and Mr. Kāle, as 'The prime of life, youth'. 'We do not see the propriety of जीवित here. The poet appears to indicate three things i. e. wealth, youth and life as being transitory, as we see elsewhere. Cf. नलिनीदलगतजलवत्तरलं किं यौवनं धनं वायुः. Shankar : चलाचले—may be explained as चलश्चासौ अचलश्च (चलः = नश्वरः transitory अचलः = प्रवाह रूपेण स्थिरः, permanent by continuity) तस्मिन् ; but this is not the meaning here. The form is a verbal deri. adjective from चल्+अ meaning the same as चल. चलतीति चलः or चलश्चलः by the Vārtik चरि—चलि पति वदीनां वा द्वित्वमध्याक्याभ्यासस्य (चर्, चल् &c. are optionally reduplicated and आ added in the reduplicative syllable चराचरः, or चरः, चलाचलः or चलः, पतापतः or पतः &c.). Mr. Kāle says 'चल is repeated to intensify the meaning and thus explains it as अतिचञ्चले, but it is neither supported by Kaumudi nor by any other authority. See Pāṇini III. i. 134 and Kaumudi thereon. Cf:—

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चरिष्णु जंगमचरं त्रसमिगं चराचरम् ॥

चलनं कंपनं कंपं चलं लोलं चलाचलम् ॥ Amar.

वदो वदावदो वक्ता—*Ibid*: where चलं and चलाचलं, वदः and वदा-
वदः occur as synonyms. Cf. also लक्ष्मीमिव चलाचलां (*Kir*: XI.
30) where *Mallināth* renders चलाचलं by चञ्चलां. Besides, अति-
चञ्चले is unnecessary ; it does not suit the previous statement.
Here simply चले संसारे, एको धर्मः निश्चलः would do.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—Wealth is unsteady so is life and the prime
of youth ; in this ephemeral worldly career merit alone is firm.

XVI.

Notes and Explanation—In this Stanza हर is compared
with दीप, चन्द्रकला with दीपशिखा, काम with शलभ, मोह with तिमिर
&c. चूडोत्तंसि०—चूडा=The hair on the top of the head, the
head. कलिका is a diminutive of कला=a digit. चूडायामुत्तंसिता या
चारः चन्द्रस्य कलिका, तस्याः चञ्चल्यः (Moving, flickering) शिखाः,
ताभिः भासुरः. लीला०—लीला दग्धः विलोलः (चञ्चलः) कामशलभः
येन सः. श्रेयो०—दशा=(1) a wick (2) condition. श्रेयोदशमे=
' At the top of the wick of happiness '. अन्तः स्फूर्ज०—प्राग्भार=
A mass or heap. अन्तः स्फूर्जन् यः अपारः मोहः, स एव तिमिरं, तस्य
प्राग्भारः, तम्. उच्चाटयन्=Dispelling. विजयते = सर्वोत्कर्षेण वर्तते.
Shines pre-eminently. This stanza comes as the first and
benedictory verse in Kri. Sh.'s edition. See note Vai. St. I.

Alankāra—साङ्गुरूपक. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Hara, the torch of knowledge, shines in the
heart of ascetics as if it were a house—that Hara who is res-
plendent by the flickering taper of light from the pretty digit
of the moon forming his crest jewel, who easily burnt the fickle
Kāma as if he were a moth, who is manifested at the top of

the wick of happiness, and who destroys the mass of darkness resulting from unbounded infatuation overwhelming the heart.

XVII.

Notes and Explanation—अस्थायिनी—तिष्ठति तच्छीला स्या-
यिनी, न स्थायिनी अस्थायिनी ताम्. आस्थया—With earnestness or
solicitude. भूपाल०—भूपालानां भृकुटी एव कुटी, तस्यां यत् विहरणं, स
एव व्यापारः तस्मिन् पण्याङ्गना= 'A prostitute whose work is that of
sporting in the house of a prince's eye-brows'. Laxmi is here
compared to a prostitute dancing in accordance with the move-
ments of a prince's eye-brows. It is well-known that fortune
favours those who are under the favourable look of a monarch
while she turns away and leaves those who come under his
disfavour. कन्याकञ्चुकिताः—कन्या एव कञ्चुकः, स एषां संजातः
कन्याकञ्चुकिताः, by *Pānini* V. II. 36, कञ्चुक being a word of
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तारकादिगण. Cf. संप्रोतकन्याधरः St. 86 *supra*. पाणिपात्रपति०—
पाणिरेव पात्रं, तस्मिन् पतिताम्. See Stanza 52 *supra*. Also Misc.
Stanza 25 *infra*.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Oh heart ! do not even for once think eagerly
of the fickle goddess of fortune who is a courtesan whose
business is that of sporting in the house of a king's eye-brow
[moving according to the frown or smile of a king]; for, now
clad in a quilt and entering the gates of houses in the streets
of Banáras we stand expectant of alms put into our pot which
is no more than the hand.

XVIII.

Notes and Explanation—कूर्मः—refers to the second incar-
nation of Vishnú. See Niti : Stanza 35 and Niti : Misc : St. 6

and 7. **ध्रुवस्य**—ध्रुव was the son of Uttānapāda, and grandson of Manu. When quite a lad, he performed such rigorous austerities, that at last he was raised to the rank of a heavenly body and now holds the position of the polar star in the sky.

संजातव्यर्थः—पक्ष=(1) Side, part (2) The number two (3) Wings. (1) विगतः अर्थः (प्रयोजनं) येषां ते व्यर्थाः, संजाताश्च ते व्यर्थाश्च संजातव्यर्थाः, तेषां पक्षो येषां, तैस्तुल्या इत्यर्थः=Belonging to the side of those who are born to no purpose (2) व्यर्थौ पक्षौ स्वार्थ-परमार्थलक्षणौ इहलोकपरलोकलक्षणौ वा येषां ते व्यर्थपक्षाः, संजाताश्च ते व्यर्थ-पक्षाश्च = Those who have not been able to secure earthly or heavenly good. Cf. इतोऽथ्रष्टस्ततोऽथ्रष्टः, इदं च नास्ति परं च न लभ्यते. The word पक्ष is well known as meaning 'two' in astronomical works in Sanscrit, there being to Pakshás शुक्ल and कृष्ण in a month. (3) संजाताश्च ते व्यर्थाश्च पक्षा येषां = (Fig :) Who possess wings to no purpose. **नोपरिष्ठात् न चाधः**—Not high or low in the matter of doing good to others i. e. in no way useful to others. " In उपरिष्ठात् and अधः there is also an oblique reference to the positions of ध्रुव and कूर्म and perhaps also to the पक्ष which should enable them to go upwards and downwards " Tel : **ब्रह्माण्डोदुः**—ब्रह्माण्डमेव उदुम्बरं (the fruit of उदुम्बर), तस्य अन्तः (मध्ये) मशकः, तद्वत्, उदुम्बरमशक is a proverbial expression like कूपमण्डूक often used as a term of reproach for any useless person who knows only his own neighbourhood. **जातमष्टाः**—Born and dead i. e. they do not really live. Cf. असंपादयतः कंचिदर्थं जातिक्रियागुणैः ॥ यदृच्छाशब्दवत्पुंसः संज्ञायै जन्म केवलम् ॥ *Māgha* II. 47.

Alankāra—अप्रस्तुतप्रशंसा. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Among the born it was the tortoise alone that offered its back to bear the heavy load of the earth ; the birth of Dhruwa too is glorious, since, on him depends the regular revolving of the bright planetary system ; other creatures in the Brahmānda are as it were merely born and dead, since

they have neither successfully secured earthly or heavenly good nor have by any method high or low, been able to do good to others, and are therefore like insects in the fig-fruit possessing wings to no purpose.

XIX.

Notes and Explanation — कल्याणी = Blessed, fortunate. जवं वयः = Youth. निविशते = Sticks closely to. विश् with नि is Atm. See *Pāṇini* I. iii. 17. ²⁶⁸³ संन्यस्यति = abandons or renounces all worldly desires. Cf. काम्यानां कर्मणा न्यासं संन्यासं कवचो विदुः *Gitā* XVIII. 2.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Looking at the splendid mansion, children praised by the good, unbounded wealth, blissful wife, and prime of age, man engrossed in ignorance believes the universe to be constant and enters into this worldly life which is like a prison; while the wise man knowing all this to be ephemeral renounces it.

XX.

Notes and Explanation—गालिमन्तः = गालि = abuse. मतुप् is used here in the sense of निन्दा. See note on मनस्विन् *Niti*: St. 33. शशकविषाणं—See note *Niti*: Stanza 5.

Metre—मालिनी.

Translation—You may keep on abusing, since you are possessors of foul language; we are unable to do so, as we do not possess a stock of it. It is well known that whatever is available in the world can only be given. No one gives to another the horn of a hare.

See Nitishatak Misc. Stanza 10.

XXII.

Notes and Explanation—महाराज—On आराम Mr. Kále remarks that it “ means a garden but more probably here ‘ delight ’ ‘ pleasure ’; the path is full of delight because he is free from all desire ”. He reads विटपिमृगचर्म, where विटपिचर्म=The bark of trees. सुखैर्वा दुःखैः—“ The result is the same with what are called pleasures or with sorrows *i. e.* whether I am in worldly affluence or other-wise, I get food and clothing in one case as in the other ” *Telang*. On which Mr. Kále says :—“ But सुख and दुःख here seem to refer to the two courses of life marked out *viz.* that of happily living on alms and worshipping Shiva or that of living a miserable life of sycophancy and humouring rich men. सदृश should better be rendered by ‘ similar ’ than by ‘ the same ’. The result *viz.* obtaining food and clothing is *similar* in both cases but not the *same* as the one is full of happiness, the other attended by misery ”. We, however, think that the poet’s view is more towards the effect on the mind of him who has become indifferent to mundane matters. Whether food and clothing is obtained easily in affluence or with difficulty in poverty, its result *viz.* the keeping up of the human system and satisfaction to the mind is the same in the case of an abnegate. For a similar idea compare St. 74 *supra* and 29 *infra* and also वयमिह परितुष्टा वल्कलैस्त्वं दुकूलैः सम इह परितोषो निर्विशेषो विशेषः ॥ स तु भवतु &c. *Vairāgya*: St. 50. वनं वा गेहं वा सदृशमुपशान्तैकमनसाम् St. 42 *infra*. The contrast between त्रिनेत्र and अन्ध is noteworthy.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Alms are not difficult to obtain in my course along rich gardens ; the earth is full of fruits, so also the skins of elephants and deer (are plentiful) for covering : moreover, the result is the same as regards pleasures or pain ; then who will leave aside the Trinetra (the three-eyed God—Shankara) and bow to him who is blinded by the pride of the possession of just a particle of wealth.

XXIII.

Notes and Explanation—करटिनः=Elephants, of course, of the enemies. See the second line St. 89. उद्वेजिताः—Harassed afflicted. नितम्ब०—नितम्ब=Broad hips. The reading नितम्बफलके, which is quite clear and appropriate here, solves every difficulty experienced in explaining निबद्धफलके. नो जुष्टं=न सेवितम्. गिरि०—गिरिराज=The mountain Himálaya. क्षणज्ज्ञांकार० = Noisy. पयः— is decidedly better than वयः which we find in Mr. Telang's text. The last line is the same as in St. 48.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—We did not destroy elephants with a sword, nor did we harass our enemies ; nor did we sportively enjoy ourselves on × × × ×
nor did we sip of the water dashing down with a noise in the streams of the Himálaya ; our time has been passed like that of crows yearning after the morsel of others.

XXIV.

Notes and Explanation—कचन=In some place, some where. For the second line Cf. यदभावि न तद्भावि भावि चेन्न तदन्यथा Hito: I. It may also be interpreted as Mr. Kále does ' Things happen in

the best way when they are allowed their natural course. They are not brought about so well by exertions'. असंकल्पयन् = Not thinking or forming anticipations about. अतः—गमागम= going and coming. अनुभवस्व—The root अनु+भू being *Paras*. (Cf. अनुभवति हि मूर्ध्ना पादपस्तीव्रमुष्णं *Shák.*), the imp: 2nd: per: sing: ought to be अनुभव, but as it stands, we must take it from भू-प्राप्ता which is *Atm*.

Metre—पृथ्वी.

Translation—Oh mind ! why doest thou wander aimlessly ; rest thyself somewhere. A thing that comes to pass of itself in a particular manner cannot become otherwise. Hence without bringing to mind what has gone by or without meditating on what is to be, do thou enjoy objects in this world which come and go without their course being determined beforehand.

XXV.

Notes and Explanation—पात्रयतां—पात्रय्=A denomi. verb from पात्र. पात्रयतां, संतुष्यतां, निषीदतां, पश्यतां (all genitive plurals go with योगिनाम्). भैक्षेण—भैक्षं भिक्षाकदम्बकं *Amar*. See note on the same St. 52 *supra*. यत्र कापि=Somewhere or other. बहु-तृणं=ईषदसमासं तृणं बहुतृणं=Almost equal to grass. बहु is optionally prefixed to a सुबन्त in the sense of ईषदसमासि. कल्प means the same thing but it is affixed. ईषदूनः पटुः बहुपटुः or पटु-कल्पः *Sidd: Kau.:* See *Pāṇini* V. iii. 68 and the previous 2023

Sūtra. अत्यागेऽपि तनोः=Without casting off this body i. e. in this very life. Cf. जीवन्मुक्तिर्मुमुक्षोः प्रथममथ ततो मुक्तिरात्यन्तिकी च ॥ *Vedānt-Kesari*. अखण्डः—अखण्डश्चासौ परमानन्दश्च, तस्य अवबोधः, तस्मै स्पृहाम्. संपत्स्यते=will obtain, or acquire. सं+पद्

seems to be used here transitively ; generally it is intransitive
Cf. संपत्स्यते वः कामोऽयं कालः कश्चित्प्रतीक्ष्यतां *Ku*: II. 54. संपत्स्यन्ते
 नमसि भवतो राजहंसाः सहायाः *Megh*. II. 23. योगिनाम्= Belonging
 to the Yogis ; which the Yogis possess.

Metro—शार्ङ्गलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Some rare mortal will attain, even without
 casting off the body, that love for the knowledge of the unbroken
 and supreme bliss which is easily attainable by the favour of
 Shiva and which belongs to Yogis who use the hand for the
 pot, are satisfied with alms naturally pure, who sit wherever
 they list, and ever look upon the universe almost as a blade of
 grass.

XXVI.

Notes and Explanation—बतेति खेदे. बली—A celebrated
 demon, who was very powerful and oppressed the gods. They
 invoked Vishnu for succor. He came to the earth in the shape
 of a dwarf mendicant and went to Bali for charity. The demon
 was very proud of his liberality and asked the dwarf to make his
 demand. The dwarf asked for only as much ground as he could
 cover under his three foot-steps. The request was granted.
 The dwarf (वामन) assumed a mighty form, covered heaven
 and earth in two steps and placed the third on the head of
 Bali and sent him to Pátála allowing him to rule there.
 व्याधयः=Diseases or troubles of the world. The last line in
 Mr. Telang's text is not metrical, hence the reading सत्पुरुषा-
 भिमानमविशं &c. This stanza occurs in Mahánatak where the
 last line runs thus :—चेतः सत्पुरुषाभिमानपदवीं मिथ्यैव किं विद्यसे.

Metro—शार्ङ्गलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Oh mind ! why doest thou overwhelm thy-
 self with the continuous false pride of being good. Alas ! neither

was Bali rescued by thee from Pátála, nor was death got rid of, nor was the dark blemish on the moon scrubbed out, nor were troubles extirpated, nor was Shesha relieved of his burden for a moment by thy undertaking to support the earth.

XXVII.

Notes and Explanation—प्रशान्तं०—चापलं = Rashness, unsteadiness. प्रशान्तं शास्त्रार्थस्य विचारे चापलं यस्य तत्. निवृत्तं०—नाना रसाः येषु, एवंविधानां काव्यानां कौतुकं नानार०—कं, निवृत्तं ना०—तुकं यस्य, तत्. निरस्तं०—विकल्प=doubts or fancies; See note Stanza 76. निरस्तः निःशेषः विकल्पविस्तरः यस्य तत्. प्रपद्युं=To reach, to attain to. अन्विच्छति=वाञ्छति.

Metre—वंशस्थ.

Translation—My mind whose activity about the interpretation of the meanings of the Shástras has been completely calmed, whose ardour for poems of various sentiments has been cooled down and whose entire range of doubts has been removed, now wishes to reach Shankar.

XXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—अखेदं (adv.) easily. क्षितिरुहां (Gen. Plu.) goes with फलम्. सुललितं०—सुललिताः लतानां पल्लवाः, तेषां विकारः = Made of the tender leaves of creepers. तदपि = तथापि. Cf. Stanza 22.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—Although fruits of trees are easily obtainable, at will, in every forest, although there is cool and sweet water

of holy streams at every spot, and although there is the soft bed of tender leaves of creepers, still the shallow-minded submit themselves to troubles at the doors of the rich.

XXIX.

Notes and Explanation—**भक्ष्यं भक्तं**= Rich food, delicate food as opposed to **कदशितं**. **कदशितं**=कुत्सितं अशितं (=अशनं food) Poor food, bad food. **सितमहत्**=सितं च तन्महत्=White and costly. **भार्या**—This word appears to be used in a wider sense than the usual one and includes attendants &c. **शतगुण०**—गुण=here means ' a multiplier'; generally at the end of compounds after numerals it denotes 'fold' or 'times'. **गुणिता** = Multiplied. **भ्रान्तः**—Past. Parti. from भ्रम् to wander used in कर्तरि sense here See *Pāṇini* III. vi. 72. See notes on Stanza 74 *supra* 3086 in connection with this one as it is almost similar in thought and expression. " On the first line Rāmarshi adds आहारस्य गिलितस्यैकरूपत्वादित्यर्थः; similarly on the second देहाच्छादनस्यैकरूपत्वादित्यर्थः; on the third भोगस्यैकरूपत्वादवसाने विरसत्वाच्च; on the last देहस्य नश्वरत्वे एकत्वानेकत्वभ्रमणे को विशेषः एतेन रसस्पर्शादयः पदार्थाः सर्वेऽप्यनित्या इति भावः "—*Telang*.

Metre—अग्न्यरा.

Translation—What if you eat rich food or only a coarse meal in the evening, what if you have only a strip of cloth or white rich dress, what if you have only the help-mate alone or there be an innumerable number of them, and what if you wander singly or be surrounded by hundreds of elephants and horses!

XXX.

Notes and Explanation—कामदुघा—कामान् दोग्धीति Fulfilling all desires. दुहः कवचश्च *Pānini* III. ii. 70. शीत०—शीतं निवारयति तच्छीला. विभवैः—For the use of the instrumental See note on कवचेन किं Niti: Stanza 21.

Metre—अनुष्टुप्.

Translation—Begging is the cow of plenty, a quilt is the protector from cold and the devotion for Shiva is firm: where, then, is the need of riches?

XXXI.

Notes and Explanation—अदैन्यं=न विद्यते दैन्यं यस्मिन् तत्=“That in which there is no humiliation or self-abasement”. अप्रतिसुखं=न विद्यते प्रतिसुखं यस्य तत्=Possessing unequalled or unpara-lelled happiness. Some read अप्रतिहतं but अप्रतिहतं and अवार्य in the last line have nearly the same meaning, hence we have preferred अप्रतिसुखम्. The words, however, may be made to signify different senses as Mr. Kāle has done. अप्रतिहतं=Knowing no obstruction, producing every desired effect. अवार्यं=that cannot be opposed i. e. made to give way by being proved inferior”. Perhaps it is better to take अवार्य with अक्षयनिधिम्. See note *infra* on अक्षयनिधिम्. भीतिच्छिदं—The reading भीतिच्छिदं, which Mr. Kāle explains as ‘shielding (lit: covering) from fear’, requires a straining; भीतिच्छिदं is quite clear. दुर्मा०—मात्सर्यं च मदश्च अभिमानश्च मात्स०—भिमानाः, दुष्टाश्च ते मा०—भिमानाश्च, तेषां मयनम् or दुष्टं यन्मात्सर्यं तच्च मदश्च &c. दुःखौघविश्वं—ओघः=collection, current. अन्वहं=Day after day, always. अप्र०—अप्रयत्नमतएव सुलभम्. साधु०—साधूनां प्रियं. सत्रं—(correctly

सरत्रं) from सङ्+ष्टृन् (त्र) *Unádi*. IV. 159. सीदन्त्यत्र = That in which people sit down to worship or contemplate; hence it means here something like मठ. Some explain it to mean पूजन only. अक्षयनिधि = अक्षय = exhaustless. निधि = A treasure or treasury. Mr. Telang explains this as 'that in which there is an exhaustless treasure' but in that case it would be अक्षयनिधि and not निधिम्, सत्र being neuter. We take अवार्य अक्षयनिधि as a predicative assertion and construe योपीश्वराः शंभोः सत्रं, अवार्य-मक्षयनिधि शंसन्ति.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Great ascetics praise the shrine of Shiva having free access, as an inexhaustible treasury; for, it enjoins subsistence on begging, is free from humiliation, possesses incomparable happiness, is always capable of rooting out fear, crushes wicked jealousy, haughtiness, and conceit, and destroys the current of miseries; it is always easily obtainable everywhere, is agreeable to sages and is holy.

XXXII.

Notes and Explanation—Compare St. 79 *supra* and see notes thereon. विरतिव०—विरतिरेव वनिता, तस्याः लब्धः संगप्रमोदः येन. मिश्रुः=An ascetic. त्यक्तसर्व०—त्यक्ता सर्वा स्पृहा येन.

Alankāra—उपमा. *Metre*—मन्दाक्रान्ता.

Translation—A sage, though he has renounced all desires, enjoys himself stretching like a monarch on the ground as his bed-stead, his arm as the pillow, the sky as the canopy, and the moon as his lamp. He derives pleasure from the contact of the woman in the form of renunciation and is fanned on all sides by female attendants viz: the quarters with breezes serving as *chauris*.

XXXIII.

Notes and Explanation—**तुङ्गतरङ्गः**—**तुङ्गः** ये तरङ्गानां भङ्गाः, त इव चपलाः. भङ्ग is one of the synonyms of तरङ्ग. भङ्गस्तरङ्ग ऊर्मिर्वा क्षियां वीजिरयोर्मिषु *Amar*. But as we have तरङ्ग in the text as well as भङ्ग, we must take the latter in a different sense. Mr. Telang renders it by 'breaking' preferring it to the sense of 'रचना' given by a commentator. Mr. Kāle remarks that "the usual sense of रचना is more poetical and better, as it corresponds to भोग the idea of breaking or vanishing being left to be implied" It may also be explained as meaning 'portion' (तुङ्गानां तरङ्गानां भङ्गाः &c.). Cf. पुष्पोद्भवः पद्मवभङ्गमित्रः *Kum*: III. 61. But we do not see any special propriety of भङ्ग; **तरङ्गचपलः** is quite sufficient and poetical. Cf. आयुः कक्षोल्लोलः; *St. 82 supra*. जीवे वारितरङ्गचञ्चलतरे *St. 107 supra*. It seems, however, simply used for alliteration. See बोधका: *infra*. **दिनानि**—The accusative of time. [See *Pānini* II. iii. 5. **बुद्धा-बोधकाः** (सन्तः) = स्वयं

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बुद्धा, इतरान् बोधयित्वा चेत्यर्थः. The word बोधक also is used here more for the sake of alliteration than for any particular sense. **लोकानुग्रहपेशले**—पेशल (written also पेशल or पेशल) = (1) Expert, skilful, or (2) Soft, tender. लोकानां अनुग्रहे पेशलं, तेन यत्नः—मुक्तौ इति शेषः. Mr. Kāle interprets this as 'an effort to lead people to मोक्ष or to refer simply to the transactions of daily life'.

Metre—शाङ्खलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Enjoyments are fleeting like high billows, life is liable to perish in a moment; the happiness of youth is but ephemeral, love for the dear ones is transitory; hence, oh wise men! understand that this whole world is perfectly worth-

less and advising the same to people, with a mind skilful in doing good to them, endeavour to attain [final beatitude].

XXXIV.

Notes and Explanation—वक्त्रमीक्षसे—*Com* : St. 69, 95.

चाटुं—*See* note on the same *Misc*. St. 13. प्रत्याशया = With hopes or expectations.

Alankāra—अप्रस्तुतप्रशंसा. *Metre*—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

Translation—Oh antelope! tell me where and what penance has been performed by thee, that thou hast never to see the face of the rich, nor to speak flattering falsehoods, nor to hear their arrogant utterances, nor to run to them through expectation : thou eatest tender grass when wanted and takest rest at ease when overtaken by sleep.

XXXV.

See Niti : *Misc*. Stanza XV.

XXXVI.

See Niti : *Misc*. Stanza II.

XXXVII.

See Niti : *Misc*. Stanza XVI.

XXXVIII.

Notes and Explanation—The meaning of the first two lines is quite clear, but the construction in any case is not

satisfactory: The lines in our text may be construed as यदेव पुंसां जरापरिभवस्य स्थानं, (तं) शिरोरुहाणां शिरसि सितं वर्णं वीक्ष्य. Mr. Telang has तदेव पुंसां which he construes as शिरोरुहाणां शिरसि सितं वर्णं तदेव पुंसां जरापरिभवस्य स्थानं वीक्ष्य &c. Mr. Kāle prefers तदा पुमांसम्, saying that 'it is easier and there is no need of supplying पुंसः from पुंसां as object to परिहृत्य'. But in that case also we must either have वीक्षन्ते or some such finite verb instead of वीक्ष्य, or we must at least dispense with the word तदा. **जरापरिभ०**—जरया कृतः परिभवः, तस्य. । Cf. व्याघ्रीव तिष्ठति जरा परि-र्त्तर्जयन्ती St. 109 *supra*. **आरोपि०**—आरोपितं अस्थिः शकलं यस्मिन्, तम्. "This refers to the bit of bone suspended over a चाण्डाल-कूप—" Telang. Mr. Kāle says that "it seems more probable that the Chāndālās line their well with bones for ornamentation"; we agree with Mr. Telang and do not see what grounds Mr. Kāle has for his conjecture. It has all along been customary to assign distinctive and prominent marks to different castes. Thus a sweeper, however he may dress himself, was bound in olden times to have a feather inserted in his head-dress. Even to this day in Kāṭṭyawār the dress of the mason-class is characteristically restricted as to the length of the coat. In the interior of the Deccan in villages, not yet come under the levelling influence of modern civilization, we find to this day a bone suspended over a well set apart for the use of the lower castes that others may not resort to it. **चाण्डालकू०**—अस्पृश्यत्वादित्यर्थः.

Alankāra—उपमा. Metre—शिकरिणी.

Translation—Beholding the white colour of the hair on the head of a man as the spot manifesting the defeat by old age, young women fly from him as from a Chāndāla's well over which a piece of bone is hung.

XXXIX.

Notes and Explanation—समारम्भाः = Actions, attempts well-made. कतिवारान्—Accusative of time. पशो—because you do not show any signs of wisdom expected from humanity. पिपासोः = क्षतुमिच्छेः. द्विविण०—द्विविणमेव मृगतृष्णार्णवः, तस्य जले. प्रत्याशा—See Misc. St. 43 *supra*. विरमति—See note on विरमन्ति Niti : St. 27. अशानि०—अशनिप्रावृणा घटितं = Made of the adamant. Rámarshi takes it as अशानिः (वज्रं) प्रावाणश्च, तैर्घटितम्.

Metre—शिखरिणी.

Translation—Oh brute, how many and how often have not thy efforts in anxiously drinking of the despicable waters of the ocean of the mirage of wealth been frustrated : still, thy expectation does not abate and as thy heart has not yet been broken into hundreds of fragments, it must have verily been made of adamant.

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Notes and Explanation—वामनयमाः—वाम = (1) Beautiful (2) Crooked. This Sloka occurs in the Mricchakatika.

Alankára—क्रियादीपक. *Metre*—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—Women infatuate, excite, ridicule, despise, produce delight and pain. Taking possession of the tender heart of man what do not these awry-eyed ones do ?

XLI.

Notes and Explanation—द्विरदश०—द्विरदश शूकरश्च, तयोः मांसं मुंक्ते तच्छीलः. खरशि०—खर=Rough. खराश्च ते शिलाकणाश्च, त

एव खरशि०—मात्रं, तत् भुङ्क्ते तच्छीलः. अनुदिनं = Day after day, always. कोऽत्रहेतुः—The expected reply is that the high-minded have a strong control over their passions.

Metre—वसन्ततिलका.

Translation—The powerful lion, though he eats the flesh of the elephant and the boar, comes into heat, it is said, only once a year; while the dove who eats only hard particles of stone is excited with amative feeling every day. Say what is the reason of this ?

XLII.

Notes and Explanation—हन्त—A particle expressing joy. मेध्या=(lit: fit for sacrifice) Holy. वृत्तिः=जीवनम्. See St. 59. प्रतिनदि=नदी नदी प्रति. तल्पानि=Beds. For the first two lines Cf. St. 94. हरमार्कं स्पृह०—For the accusative see note on स्पृहयति Niti: Misc. St. 21. उपशान्तैक०—उपशान्तं (रागादिरहितं) एकं (केवलं, एकाग्रं) मनो येषां, तेषाम्. Cf. शान्तं भावमुपैहि Stanza 57. Mr. Telang has उपशान्त्यैक० which he corrects to उपशान्त्येक and translates “ those whose minds are fixed exclusively on internal tranquility (self-restraint). ”

Metre—शिवारिणी.

Translation—Living in a holy forest, delightful company of the deer, pure subsistence on fruits, beds of stones by the side of every river: these are the necessities of life for those who long for the devotion towards Shiva; the house or the forest is alike to those whose mind is tranquil and concentrated.

Notes and Explanation—**स्वादिष्टं**— is superlative from **स्वादु**. In many copies we find **स्वादिष्टं** which should be corrected to **स्वादिष्टं**, the termination of the superlative being **इष्ट** and not **इष्ट**. The use of the superlative with the ablative is unusual though not incorrect. **रसवत्**—goes with **अक्षरम्**. **मनुप् (वत्)** is used here in the sense of **प्रशंसा**. See note Niti: Stanza 33. **प्रस्रवति** See our note on **सुधास्यन्दिभिः** Niti: St. 6. **दैवी वाक्** = The divine Speech, the Vedas. Construe the first two lines:—**दैवी वाक् रसवतः अमृतात्मनः, यत् मधुनः घृताच्च स्वादिष्टं रसवत् अक्षरं प्रस्रवति तेनैव तृप्ताः वयं &c.**=" We are pleased with simply those sweet utterances more delicious than honey or clarified butter which the divine Speech sends forth from her sweet ambrosial body". **अक्षरं** can also mean **Brahma** (**न क्षरतीति—अविनाशि ब्रह्मेत्यर्थः**). **दैवी वाक् रसवत् अक्षरं प्रस्रवति** = The divine Speech propounds **Brahma** the source of eternal pleasure (through which all worldly enjoyments become insignificant). Cf. **अयैतस्यैवानंदस्यान्यानि भूतानि मात्रामुपजीवन्ति Shruti**. The most important portion of the Vedas are the Upanishadas and their subject is the expounding of **Brahma**. In this case **अमृता** (**Immortal**) should be taken with **दैवी वाक्** because the Vedas are considered to be eternal, being **अपौरुषेय**. These two lines can be made applicable to the immortal compositions of poets. Construe **रसवतः अमृतात्मनः** (**कवेः**) **दैवी वाक् यत् मधुनः घृताच्च स्वादिष्टं रसवत् &c.** For this see our notes on **रससिद्धाः कवीश्वराः** Niti: St. 24; **सुकविता यद्यस्ति राज्येन किम् ?** Niti: St. 21, and compare also **नियतिकृतनियमरहितां ल्हादैकमयीमनन्यपरतंत्रां ॥ नवरसरुचिरां निर्मितिमादधती भारती कवेर्जयति Kavya Pra. I. i.** **धृतये**—**धृति** = Support, sustenance. **भिक्षा**—**भिक्षया** आहृताः. **दास्यकृ**—**दास्येन कृतं अर्जनं येषां, तैः** (**धनैः**). **वृत्ति समीहामहे**—Compare Stanza 64.

Metre—शार्दूलविक्रीडित.

*Translation—*We are pleased with simply those sweet utterances more delicious than honey or clarified butter which the divine Speech sends forth from her sweet ambrosial body: as long as we have for our maintenance, under our arm, a quantity of barley meal obtained by begging, we do not desire to maintain ourselves by the wealth acquired by servitude.

The following are additional verses we have come across in some copies as belonging to the वैराग्यशतक.

सदा योगाभ्यासव्यसनवशयोरात्ममनसो-
रविच्छिन्ना मैत्री स्फुरति कृतिनस्तस्य किमु तैः ॥
प्रियाणामालापैरधरमधुभिर्वक्त्रकमलैः
सनिःश्वासामोदैः सकुचकलशश्लेषसुरतैः ॥

योगाभ्यास०—योगाभ्यासस्य व्यसनेन वशयोः (अधीनयोः). **आत्म-
मनसोः**—आत्मा (ब्रह्म) च मनश्च, तयोः. **सनिःश्वासा०**—निःश्वासाः
श्वासोच्छ्वासाः, तत्संबन्धिनो य आमोदाः सुगन्धाः, तैः सहितैः (वक्त्रकमलैः).
सकुचकल०—कुचकलशयोः श्लेषेण सहितैः (सुरतैः) । शिखरिणी वृत्तम्

उन्मीलस्त्रिवलीतरङ्गवलयो प्रोत्तङ्गपीनस्तन-
द्वन्द्वेनोद्यतचक्रवाकमिधुना वक्त्राम्बुजोद्भासिनी ॥
कान्ताकारधरा नदीयमभितः क्रूराशया नेष्यते
संसारार्णवमजनं यदि ततो दूरेण संत्यज्यताम् ॥

उन्मीत्रि०—उन्मीलन्ती या त्रिवली (उदरस्थवलित्रयं), सैव तरङ्गवलयं
यस्यां सा. **प्रोत्तङ्गपी०**—प्रोत्तङ्गं (उन्नतं) पीनं (पुष्टं) च यत् स्तनद्वन्द्वं, तेन ।
अस्य उद्यतेत्यादिनासंबन्धः । वस्तुतस्तु द्वन्द्वोद्यतादि—समस्तमेकं पदमपेक्षितम्. **उद्य-
तचक्र०**—उद्यतं चक्रवाकयोर्मिधुनं यस्यां. **वक्त्रा०**—वक्त्रमेवाम्बुजं, तेन उद्भा-
सिनी (शोभमाना). **कान्ताकार०**—कान्तायाः आकारः, तस्य धरा (धारिणी).

क्रूराशया—(१) क्रूराः (घातुकाः) आशयाः मकरादिजीवः यस्यां (२) पक्षे क्रूरः (कठोरः) आशयः (चित्तं) यस्याः सा. ' नृशंसो घातुकः क्रूरः ' इति, ' कर्कशं कठिनं क्रूरं कठोर ' मिति चामरः. संसारार्ण०—संसारएवार्णवः, तस्मिन् मजनम् । संसारार्णवमजनं यदि नेष्यते ततः इत्यन्वयः. । शार्दूलविक्रीडितं वृत्तम्.

इह हि मधुरमीतं नृत्यमेतद्रसोऽयं
स्फुरति परिमलेऽयं स्पर्श एष स्तनानाम् ॥
इति हतपरमार्थैरिन्द्रियैर्भ्राम्यमाणः
स्वहितकरणधूर्तैः पञ्चभिर्बञ्चितोऽस्मि ॥

स्फुरतीति सर्वत्र संबध्यते । पूर्वार्धेन पञ्चेन्द्रियाणां विषया व्याख्याताः ।
हतपरमार्थैः—हतः परमार्थः यैः, तैः. स्वहितक०—स्वहितस्य करणे धूर्तैः ।
मालिनी वृत्तम्.



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1. Translate into English.

- (a) शास्त्रोपस्कृतशङ्खमुन्दरगिरः शिष्यप्रदेयागमा
विख्याताः कवयो वसन्ति विषये यस्य प्रभोर्निर्धनाः ॥
तज्जाढ्यं वसुधाधिपस्य कवयो ह्यर्थं विनापीश्वराः
कुत्स्याः स्युः कुपरीक्षका न मणयो यैरर्घतः पातिताः ॥
- (b) नमस्यामो देवान्नु हतविधेस्तेपि वशगा
विधिर्वन्यः सोऽपि प्रतिनियतकर्मैकफलदः ।
फलं कर्मायत्तं किममरगणैः किंच विधिना
नमस्तत्कर्मभ्यो विधिरपि न येभ्यः प्रभवति ॥

II (a) Give the names of the metres the above verses.
Divide one line of each verse into feet according
to the Hindu and European systems of prosody.
Where are the cæsuras in both verses ?

(b) Explain all compounds in the above verses.

(c) What religious idea is contained in the second verse. Illustrate it by another verse from the Nitishataka.

III (a) Explain the construction of वरम्—न and that
of किम्, कोऽर्थः &c. with the instrumental case.
Quote instances from the Nitishataka for these
constructions.

(b) Explain the force of the particle वा in such questions as सूतः कोवा न जायते.

(c) What force has the particle अपि in such expressions as सर्वेऽपि, त्रयोऽपि, चत्वारोऽपि.

IV Quote two verses from the Nitishataka on one of the following subjects.

(a) The difficulty of befriending fools.

(b) The necessity of acquiring wisdom.

(c) The power of riches.

1869

I (a) What are the subdivisions of Vairagyashataka?

(b) What are the effects of time as given by Bhartrihari? Quote one or two of his verses on this subject or give an outline of his description of time in prose in Sanskrit.

II Translate into English.

परिभ्रमसि किं वृथा कचन चित्त विश्राम्यतां

स्वयं भवति यद्यथा भवति तत्तथा नान्यथा ॥

अतीतमपि न स्मरन्नपि च भाव्यसंकल्पय—

अतर्कितगमागमाननुभस्व भोगानिह ॥

आदित्यस्य गतागतैरहरहः संक्षीयते जीवितं

व्यापारैर्बहुकार्यभारगुरुभिः कालो न विज्ञायते ॥

दृष्ट्वा जन्मजराविपत्तिमरणं त्रासश्च नोत्सद्यते

पीत्वा मोहमयीं प्रमादमदिरामुन्मत्तभूतं जगत् ॥

(b) Explain and analyse the following compounds, referring them to their several classes.

अतर्कितगमागमान् बहुकार्यभारगुरुभिः

जन्मजराविषातिमरणम् & प्रमादमदिराम्

(c) Give as many synonyms of अवित्य, जन्मन् and जरा as you may have met with in your reading.

(d) Is there any difference in meaning between कृ & कृचन ? if so illustrate it by two or three examples.

(e) What is the meaning of अपिच ? Give its equivalent in Sanskrit.

III To what does Bhartrihari compare life to illustrate its short duration ? Give the simile he has often used.

1873

Translate and write notes on the words underlined.

(a) सन्त्यन्येऽपि बृहस्पतिप्रभृतयः संभाविताः पञ्चषा—
स्तान्प्रत्येषविशेषविक्रमरुची राहुर्न वैस्यते ।
द्वावेव असते दिनेश्वरनिशा प्राणेश्वरौ भास्करो .
भ्रान्तः पर्वणि पश्य दानवपतिः शीर्षावशेषीकृतः ॥

(b) प्रदानं प्रच्छन्नं गृहमुपगते सञ्चरविधिः
प्रियं कृत्वा मौनं सदसि कथनं चाप्युपकृते ।
अनुत्सेको लक्ष्म्यां निरभिभवसाराः परकथाः
सतां केनोद्दिष्टं विषममसिधराकृतमिदम् ॥

(c) क्षीरेणाम्त्मगतोदकाय हि गुणा दत्ताः पुरा तेऽखिलाः
क्षीरे तापमवेक्ष्य तेन पयसा ह्यात्मा कृशानौ हुतः ।

गन्तुं पावकमुन्मनस्तदभवदृष्ट्वा तु मित्रापदम्
युक्तस्तेन जलेन शाम्यति सतां मैत्री पुन्स्त्वीदृशी ॥

Quote two verses to illustrate and give an outline of the general teaching of (a) the प्रदानप्रशंसा or (b) the कर्मप्रशंसा.

1875.

Translate the following closely :—

- (a) अवश्यं यातारश्चिरतरमुषित्वापि विषया
वियोगे को भेदस्त्यजति न जनो यत्स्वयममून् ।
व्रजन्तः स्वातन्त्र्यादतुलपरितापाय मनसः
स्वयं त्यक्ता ह्येते शमसुखमनन्तं विदधति ॥
- (b) पेरषां चेतांसि प्रतिदिवसमाराध्य बहु हा
प्रसादं किं नेतुं विशसि हृदय क्लेशकलिलम् ।
प्रसन्ने त्वयन्तः स्वयमुदितचिन्तामाणि गुणे
विमुक्तः संकल्पः किमभिलषितं पुष्यति न ते ॥
- (c) एतस्माद्विरमेन्द्रियार्थगहनादायासकादाश्रय
श्रेयोमार्गमशेषदुःखशमनव्यापारदक्षं क्षणात् ।
शान्तं भावंमुपैहि संत्यज निजां कल्लोललोलां गतिं
मा भूयो भज भङ्गुरां भवरतिं चेतः प्रसिदाधुना ॥
- (d) किं वेदैः स्मृतिभिः पुराणपठनैः शास्त्रैर्महाविस्तरैः
स्वर्गग्रामकुटीनिवासफलदैः कर्मक्रियाविभ्रमैः ।
मुक्तवैक्तं भवबन्धदुःखरचनाविध्वंसकालानलं
स्वात्मानन्दपदप्रवेशकलनं शेषा वणिग्वृत्तयः ॥

2. (a) Give the metres and ganas of b & c of 1.

(b) In Stanza (c) one copy reads आयासकादाश्रयश्रेयोमार्ग
&c. which reading do you prefer, and why ?

(c) Explain the word संकल्प in stanza 2.

3. Explain (a) कर्मनिर्मूलनक्षमः (b) दाक्षिणात्याः कवयः (c) निर्विकल्पसमाधि (d) दग्धजठरः (e) ये वर्धन्ते वासराणां स्मेरयं ध्यानच्छेद निषण्णः Vairagya 47.

Explain grammatically the words.

वासराणां स्मेरयं, लालयते & आत्मनीन.

Quote and explain the Stanza in the Vairagya shataka in which आशा is likened to a river.

4. Quote verses from the Vairagyashataka of purport similar to the following.

(a) Poor and content is rich and rich enough.

(b) Learned men are not inferior to kings.

1878.

Translate into English.

(a) स्फुरत्स्फारज्योत्स्नाधवलिततले कापि पुलिने
सुखासीनाः शान्तध्वनिषु रजनीषु द्युसरितः ।
भवाभोगोद्विग्नाः शिव शिव शिवेत्युच्चवचसा
कदा स्यामानन्दाद्गतबहुलबाष्पा व्लुतदशः ॥

(b) किन्तुद्भ्रान्तपतत्पतङ्गपवनव्यालोलदीपाङ्कुरच्छायाचञ्चलमाकलय्य
सकलं सन्तो वनान्तं गताः

Name and dissolve the compounds in the above
Translate and explain.

(a) वियोगे को भेदस्त्यजति न जनो यत्स्वयममूर्

(b) विमुक्तः संकल्पः किमभिलषितं पुष्यति न ते

(c) धन्याः संन्यस्तदैक्यव्यतिकरानिकराः कर्म निर्मूलयन्ति

(d) व्यापारैः पुनरुक्तभुक्तविषयैरेवं विधेनामुना संसारेण कदर्थिताः

- (e) स्वर्गग्रामकुटीनिवासफलदैः कर्मक्रियाविभ्रमैः
 (f) युष्मत्संगवशोषजातमुकृतोद्रेकः स्फुरन्निर्मलज्ञानापास्तसमस्तमो-
 हमहिमा लीये परे ब्रह्मणि ॥

1885

Translate into English adding notes where necessary.

- (a) मृत्पिण्डोजलरेखया वलयितः सर्वोप्ययं नन्वणु
 रंगीकृत्य स एव संयुगशतै राज्ञां गणैर्भुज्यते ।
 तद्वयुर्ददेतेयवा न किमपि भुद्रा दरिद्राभृशं
 धिग्धित्तान् पुरुषाधमान्वधन कणं वाञ्छन्ति तेभ्योपि ये ॥
- (b) विवेकव्याकोशे विकसति शमे शाम्यति तृषा
 परिष्वंगे तुंगे प्रसरतितरां सा परिणतिः ।
 जराजीर्णैश्वर्यग्रसनगहनाक्षेपकृपणः
 तृषापात्रं यस्यां भवति मरुतामप्यधिपतिः ॥
- (c) एको रागिषु राजते प्रियतमादेहार्धधारी हरो
 निरागेषु जनो विमुक्तललनासंगो न यस्मात्परः
 दुर्वारस्मरबाणपन्नगविद्धमुग्धोजनः
 शेषः कामविडम्बितान्न विषयान् भोक्तुं न मोक्तुं क्षमः

2.(a) Dissolve the compounds in black type above and name them. Give and name the metrical schemes of the last two verses.

(b) Write a short note on मरुतामप्यधिपतिः

3. Explain clearly the following.

- (a) तं त्वां पुनः पादितकर्णकभाजमेनं नाट्येन केन नययिष्यति
 (b) नौह शञ्जकविषाणं कोपि कस्मै ददाति

(c) वाञ्छामात्रपरिग्रहाण्यपि परं त्यक्तुं न शक्ता वयम्

(d) स्वानुभूत्येकमानाय नमः शान्तायतेजसे

(e) न जाने संसारः किममृतमयः किं विषमयः

(f) सूक्ष्मा एव पतन्ति चातकमुखे द्वित्राः पयो बिन्दवः

4. (a) Give eight instances of ungrammatical or irregular constructions used by Bhartrihari.

(b) Quote the verse in which the wisdom of great men is declared to be unlimited and paraphrase it in Sanskrit in your own words.

1890

Translate into English:—

(a) नम्रत्वेनोन्नमन्तः परगुणकथनैः स्वान्गुणान्ख्यापयन्तः

स्वार्थान्संपादयन्तो विततपृथुतरारम्भयन्नाः परार्थे ।

क्षान्त्यैवाक्षेपस्तस्मात्स्वमुखरमुखान्दुर्मुखान्दूषयन्तः

सन्तः साश्चर्यचर्या जगति बहुमताः कस्य नाम्यर्चनीयाः ॥

(b) उदन्वच्छन्ना भूः स च निधिरपां योजनशतः

सदा पान्थः पूषा गगनपरिमाणं कलयति ।

इति प्रायो भावाः स्फुरदवधिमुद्रा मुकुलिताः

सतां प्रज्ञोन्मेषः पुनरयमसीमा विजवते ॥

Name and dissolve the compounds in the above.

Explain giving the context.

(a) स्वात्मन्येव समाप्तहेममहिमा मेरूर्न मे रोचते

(b) नहिशशकविषाणं कोपि कस्मै ददाति

(c) नरः संसारान्ते विशति यमधार्मीजवनिकाम्

- (d) विषाकः पुण्यानां जनयति भयं मे विमृशति
 (e) कुत्स्याः स्युः कु परितका न मणयो यैरर्बतः पातिताः
 (f) नहि गणयति क्षुद्रो जन्तुः परिग्रहफल्युताम्
 (g) अवस्था वस्तुनि प्रथयति च संकोचयति च
 (h) प्रायेणाथममध्यमोत्तमगुणः संसर्गतो जायते

3. Discuss the question whether Bhartrihari is the author or mere compiler of the Shatakas. Do you find any evidence in the Shatakas to show that he worshipped a particular god? What were his favourite places of resort as a devotee?

4. Give a synopsis of the views embodied in the Shatakas regarding.

- (a) The predominance of "Karman".
 (b) The use and greatness of knowledge.
 (c) The evanescent nature of human life and pleasures.

5. Derive and explain the meaning of the following words.

विदग्ध, प्रतिनिविष्ट, अङ्कित, अभियोगवृत्ति and परिहृत्य

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Translate the following.

- (a) नम्रत्वेनोन्नतः परगुणकथनैः स्वान्गुणान्ख्यापयन्तः
 स्वार्थान्संषादयन्तो विततपृथुतरारम्भेयन्तः परार्थे ।
 क्षान्त्यैवाक्षेपरूसाक्षरमुखरमुखान्दुर्मुखान्दूषयन्तः
 सन्तः साश्चर्यचर्या जगति बहुमताः कस्य नाम्यर्चनीयाः ॥
 (b) परेषां चेतांसि प्रतिदिवसमाराध्य बहु हा
 प्रसादं किं नेतुं विशासि हृदय क्लेशकलिलम् ।

प्रसन्ने त्वयन्तः स्वयमुदितचिन्तामणिगुणे
विमुक्तः संकल्पः किमभिलषितं पुष्यति न ते ॥

- (c) प्रदानं प्रच्छन्नं गृहमुपगते संभ्रमविधिः
प्रियं कृत्वा मौनं सदसि कथनं चाप्युपकृतेः ।
अनुत्सेको लक्ष्म्यां निरभिभवसाराः परकथाः
सतां केनोद्दिष्टं विषममसिधारावृतमिदम् ॥

Explain the following giving in each case the substance of the whole stanza.

- (a) अतश्चानैकान्त्यादुरुलघुतयार्थेषु धनिना
मवस्था वस्तूनि प्रथयति च संकोचयति च ॥
(b) महद्भिः पुण्यौघैश्चिरपरिगृहिताश्च विषया
महान्तो जायन्ते व्यसनमिवदातुं विषयिणाम् ॥
(c) स जातः कोऽप्यासीन्मदनरिपूणा मूर्ध्नि धवलं
कपालं यस्योच्चैर्विनिहतमलंकार विधये ॥
(d) तत्कोनाम गुणो भवेत्सगुणिनां यो दुर्जनैर्नाङ्कितः ॥
(e) इत्थं चेमौ रजनि दिवसौ दोलयन्द्राविवाक्षौ
कालः काल्यासह बहुकलः क्रीडति प्राणिसारैः ॥

Solve the following compounds.

- (a) पञ्चषाः ; गद्गदगलत्त्रुट्यद्विलीनाक्षरम् ; निर्देवारिकनिर्दयोक्त्य-
परुषम् ; उद्भ्रान्तपतत्पतङ्गपवनव्यालोलदीपाङ्कुरच्छायाचञ्चलम्
and असिधारावृतम्.

- (b) Make grammatical notes upon

सिकतिलः, कदर्यिताः, आशीविषः, बहुतृणम्, आत्मनीनः and तपस्यन्तः

Quote verses giving Bhartrihari's views on any two of the following.

- (a) Extrme difficulty of the duty of servants.
- (b) Comparison of the king with the poet.
- (c) Comparison of the king with the ascetic.

1898

What have you to say with reference to the following points put forward by some scholars to prove that the age of the author of the Shatakas should be brought down to about the 8th or 9th century A. D.

(1) Resemblance in ideas and phraseology between the Shatakas and Shankaracharya's works.

(2) Mention of the Puranas in one of the Stanzas of the Vairagyashataka.

(3) Mention of Buddha as a tenth incarnation of Vishnu in one of the passages.

II What part of India did Bhartrihari look upon as producing the best of poets. Quote in support of your answer.

III Explain the following forms and give their meanings.

अंकेशय, सिकतिल, कदर्ययसि, लिप्सा, आत्मकरोति, लालयते जीवमान, गायनः, शुश्रूषते.

IV Translate.

- (a) या साधुश्च खलान्करोति विदुषो मुखान्हितान्द्वेषिणः
 प्रत्यक्षं कुरुते परोक्षममृतं हालाहालं तत्क्षणात् ॥
 तामाराधय सत्क्रियां भगवतीं भोक्तुं फलं वाञ्छितं
 हे साधो व्यसनैर्गुणेषु विपुलेष्वास्थां वृथा मा कृथाः ॥

N. B. Mention and discuss the different variants
 for सत्क्रिया.

- (b) भिक्षाशी जनमध्यसङ्गरहितः स्वायत्तचेष्टः सदा
 दानादानविरक्तमार्गनिरतः काश्चित्तपस्वी स्थितः
 रथ्याकीर्णविशीर्णजीर्णवसनैरास्यूत कन्याधरो
 निर्मानो निरहंकृतिः शमसुखाभोगैकबद्धस्पृहः॥

Dissolve the compounds स्वायत्तचेष्टः, संप्राप्तकन्थासखो, शम-
 सुखाभोगैकबद्धस्पृहः

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1 Translate into English:--

- (c) दूरादर्थं घटयति नवं दूरतश्चापशब्दं
 त्यक्त्वा भूयो भवति निरतः सत्सभारञ्जनेषु ।
 मन्दं मन्दं रचयति पदं लोकचित्तानुवृत्त्या
 कामं मन्त्रां कविरिव सदा खेदभारैरमुक्तः ॥

- (d) परेषां चेतांसि प्रतिदिवसमाराध्य बहु हा
 प्रसादं किं नेतुं विशसि हृदय क्लेशकलिलम् ।
 प्रसन्ने त्वय्येव स्वयमुदिताचिन्तामाणिगुणे
 विमक्तः सङ्कल्पः किमभिलाषितं पश्यति न ते ॥

5 Explain with reference to the context:—

(e) अतश्चानैकान्त्याद्गुरुलघुतयार्थेषु धनिना-
मवस्था वस्तुनि प्रथयति च संकोचयति च ॥

6 Quote stanzas from the *S'atakas* which contain—

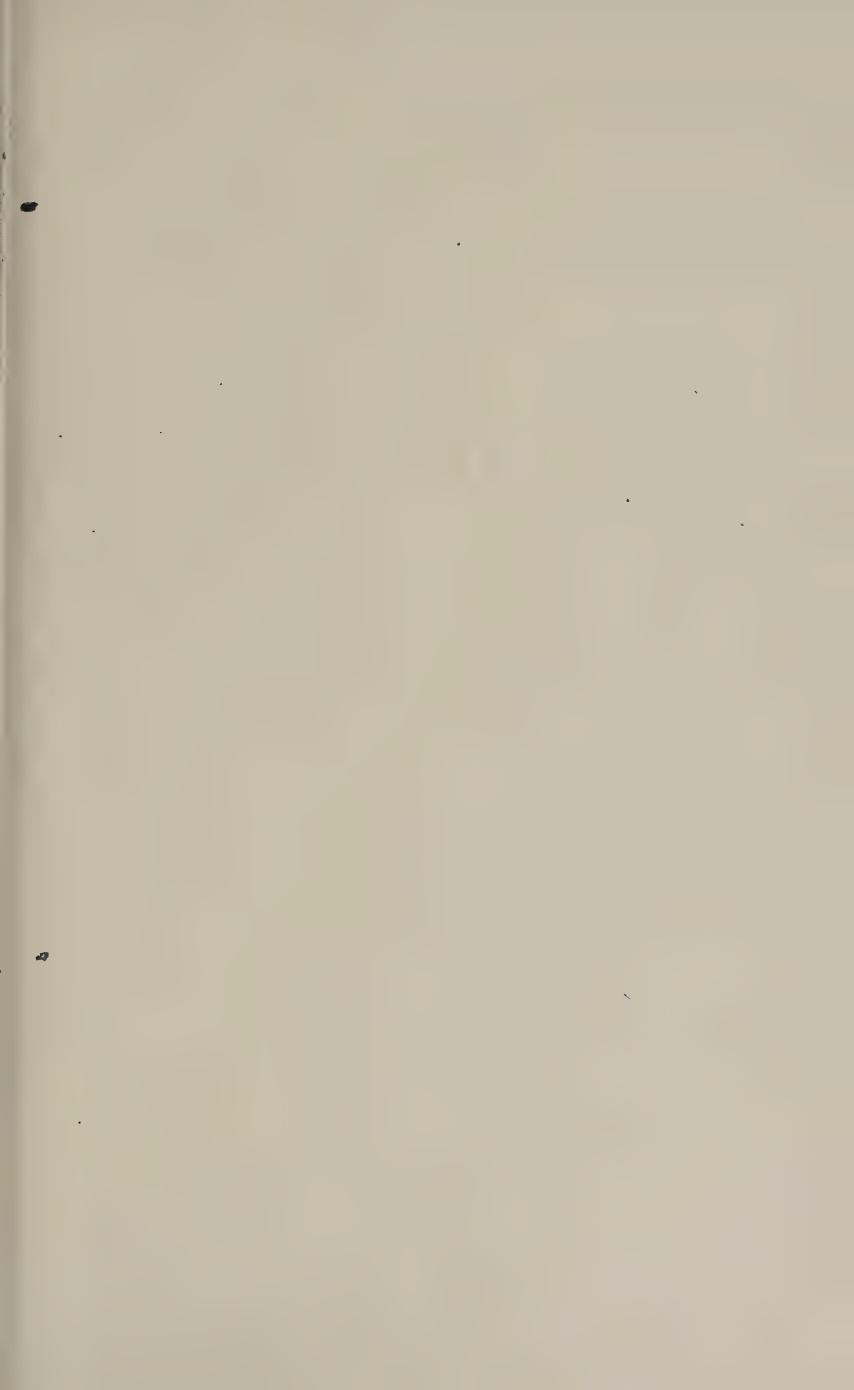
(a) Ideas similar to the following:—

(i) स्थाने भवानेकनराधिपः सन्नकिञ्चनत्वं नखजं व्यनक्ति ।

पर्यायपीतस्य सुरैर्हिमांशोः कलाक्षयः श्लाघ्यतरो हि वृद्धैः ॥

(ii) दरिद्रस्य परा मूर्तिस्तृष्णा न द्रविणाल्पता ।

(b) A description of *S'iva* as a lamp of knowledge (ज्ञानप्रदीप).



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